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LITTLE TIME FOR LORDS TO DEBATE

Are Given Only Two Weeks to Discuss Big Measures

SAID RADICALS ARE APPALLED

Lords Will Protest Against Lack of Time Afforded Them.

London, Dec. 9—Even the most stalwart Radicals are appalled at the state of things on the eve of the closing of the present parliament

The government has done at the House of Lords a national insurance bill, directly affecting from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 workers, which had been adorned with 470 amendments in its penultimate stage in the House of Commons, a majority of which were entirely undebated.

With this go the naval prize bill which was whipped through the House of Commons with a majority of 47, the mines bill and the budget. For the consideration of these important measures, the Lords have only a fortnight.

The latter point that when Lords' veto was destroyed the Government explicitly disavowed the idea of a single chamber. The Government declared that the Lords retained the power of revision as well of delaying legislation. In face of the fact that they are allowed only two days for committee stage of the insurance bill, the nation does not see that the pledge has been made good.

As it was not presented to them within a month of the close of the session under the Veto Bill, this rejection would not count as one of the three years allowed before it can be passed over their heads.

The opposition in the House of Commons, however, affirmed its approval of the main principles of the bill but refused to vote for or against it as it stands when the Government refused to allow time for further consideration. This line was taken by the opposition obviously through their belief that the bill will be unpopular when it goes into operation. The Lords will protest against the farce of giving them a couple of days to consider one of the most complex bills of modern times and then pass it with a "on your heads be it" to the Government.

The naval prize bill they probably will reject.

LABOR TROUBLES MAR CHRISTMAS SEASON

Outlook in London Is Not Particularly Pleasant in a Number of Directions—Rumors That Railway Plebiscite Declared for Strike.

London, Dec. 9—Christmas is approaching but the outlook is not particularly pleasant in several directions. The government is endeavoring to avert strikes of railway men, colliers and postal employees, while representatives of the board of trade are conferring in London with employees of the railways whose unions are counting the ballots of a plebiscite on the question of a strike.

This conference was called by the government which is concerned over the threatened resumption of the transportation paralysis of last summer. That disturbance was adjusted by the reference of the grievances of the men to a royal commission, the understanding being that both sides would accept the finding of this body. The employees now insist that they did not agree to accept the findings of the commission, and further are seeking recognition of the unions which the companies are resisting.

Voluntary increases in pay of some of the railways have been followed by an increase in the week-end and other excursion rates. Rumors that the plebiscite of the railway men had declared for a strike caused the employers to arrange for the operation of their lines with elaborate private protection.

Mr. Manigal Will Tell His Story.

Los Angeles, Dec. 10—Ortie E. McManigal will be taken to Indianapolis within a few days to tell the federal grand jury there what he knows of the alleged dynamiting conspiracy, the first chapter of which was closed today with the plaints of John J. and James B. McNamara in the San Quentin state penitentiary.

Quiet Election in Calgary.

Calgary, Dec. 9—Calgary is looking forward to a very quiet civic election Monday. Both Mayor Mitchell and Commissioner Graves were returned unopposed last Monday and the only contests are for seats in the city council and the Protestant school board.

ANOTHER SPY STORY.

Said that English Had Plot to Blow Up Wilhelmshaven Fortifications.

Berlin, Dec. 10—The latest spy mania story appearing in the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette. It tells of an English plot to blow up the fortifications at Wilhelmshaven. A Christmas letter held up by the postal authorities which was addressed to a Wilhelmshaven policeman, is alleged to have contained $19,750 send from England. A search of the policeman's house is said to have revealed plans for the destruction of the fortifications.

Fisherman on Ice Floe.

Dorpat, Russia, Dec. 9—Over 100 fishermen are adrift on an ice floe on lake Peipus from which the winter fish supply for St. Petersburg is drawn. As all the lake steamers have been laid up for the winter, some time will elapse before rescuing parties can be organized and sent out.

BONQUET TENDERED HON. L.P. PELLETIER

New Minister Is Honored By His Admirers in Quebec City—Tells of the Progress Being Made Upon the New Quebec Bridge.

Quebec, Dec. 10—Hon. L. P Pelletier was the guest of honor at a dinner given him at Chateau Frontenac by his admirers in this district It was one of the greatest ever held in Quebec over four hundred guests being present. The dinner was marked by the attendance of a number of Federal ministers.

Hon. Thomas Chapais presided, and the speeches were all most eloquent. Hon. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, was in reminiscent mood and his announcement of the determination of the Government to equip the ports of Canada, of which Quebec is the principal, aroused the enthusiasm of his hearers. Hon Mr Burrell, minister of agriculture, and Hon Mr Nantel, minister of interior, also delivered addresses

Will Visit Paris.

Paris, Dec. 10—It is announced that the Sultan of Morocco will visit Paris in a short time.

THEIR RELATIONS ARE UNCHANGED

Anglo-German Relations Remain As They Were Before the Recent Speeches of Sir Edward Grey and the German Chancellor Dealing With the Issues

London, Dec. 9—The German chancellor's second speech on the Anglo-German relations has not altered the position of affairs as left by Sir Edward Grey. This has not been made worse, neither has it been made better.

But the chancellor's speech may be regarded as showing the desire of Germany to let the matter drop for the present, while Sir Edward Grey's speech at Plymouth showed a like desire. The situation ,therefore, remains the same as it was after Sir Edward's speech in parliament had cleared up, but is still delicate.

The chancellor omitted all mention of the obligations of Great Britain to France, though he asked why the former country should have resented the arrival of the warship Panther at Agadir, when it had not objected to the operations of France in Morocco. This ignores the patent fact that Great Britain had entrusted her interests in Morocco to France.

NOBEL PRIZES AWARDED

King Gustav Makes the Awards in Stockholm Academy of Music.

Stockholm, Dec. 10—In the hall of the Academy of Music today, King Gustav presented the Nobel prizes with the exception of the peace prize, to the winners. Mme. Marie Skiodowska Curie personally received the prize for chemistry; Prof Wien, of Wuerzburg University, the prize for physics, and Prof. Allvar Gullstrand, of Upsala University, the prize for medicine. The Belgian minister received the prize for literature who is ill. The Nobel prizes each in behalf of Maurice Maeterlinck, amount to nearly $10,000.

The subject for the next demonstration at the Y.M.C.A. cooking class is to be "relative dishes." This class meets on Tuesday night and all ladies who would like to learn how to make some new deserts have now an opportunity. Orange and strawberry jelly in double moulding, toasted marshmellow pudding, Spanish cream with custard sauce will be prepared. Orange baskets, strawberry sponge and pineapple Bavarian cream will be discussed and full directions for preparing will be given.

Dr. Elliott Operated On.

Boston, Dec. 9—Word was received here today that Dr. Charles W. Elliott, President Emeritus of Harvard, who was on a tour around the world has been operated upon for appendicitis at Kandy, Ceylon. According to the dispatch the operation was successful. A second dispatch says "Dr. Elliott is doing nicely."

LLOYD-GEORGE IN THE LIMELIGHT

English Chancellor is Outstanding Figure in British Politics.

HE IS A COMING BRITISH PREMIER

T. P. O'Connor Reviews Incidents of Past Week in Old Land.

London, Dec. 9—(By T. P. O'Connor)—This is Chancellor Lloyd George's week. After eight months' discussion, hundreds of interviews, fifty nights of debate, innumerable attacks by a gigantic hostile press and a social campaign against him he succeeded in passing the insurance bill through the House of Commons with a big majority that nobody anticipates any trouble for it from the House of Lords.

Lloyd-George is the only man in English public life today who could achieve such a remarkable result. His friends are delighted to find him in perfect health and exhilirant rather after a task so fear-ully exhausting. Never did he speak with greater fire than in the last speech, driving his own side to outbursts of fierce enthusiasm and his opponents to tempestuous rage by the exponent of the unfair and lying attacks made by the Tories on the bill during the recent by-elections.

Today he stands forth as the most commanding figure of English politics and my own opinion is that he is certain, ultimately, to be prime minister.

A final result of the trouble over Morocco is to leave both Great Britain and Germany more friendly than they were, but already the indications are that both sides realize such perilous misunderstandings must be avoided in the future and though the bitter feeling is far from exhausted it is less intense than two weeks ago.

The Home Rule campaign is steadily proceeding and next week it will enter a new phase, Ireland will be visited by the Premier. Liberal ministers during the next few months and Col. Seely, under secretary of war, opens this campaign by speaking in an Ulster town represented by a Nationist. Lloyd George and Winston Churchill will follow.

William O'Brien in pursuance of his campaign of disparaging the Liberals and Nationalists professes anxiety lest the Liberals do not mean to push forward Home Rule and carry it into the present parliament without any other election. Premier Asquith has set all such doubts at rest by his emphatic declaration that he would press forward Home Rule with every means in his power and pass it into a law in the present parliament and without another election and only a run of bad luck in the by-elections can now defeat the bill.

U.S. ARMY NOT READY.

Secretary of War Says That in Contingency of War Army Would Be Unprepared.

Washington, Dec. 10—In his annual report to the President Secretary of War Stimson declared that the contingency of war with a first-class power would find the army of the United States practically unprepared. He attributed this largely to the fact that the army was "scattered out over the country" in too many posts and to a lack of reserves.

To Make French Executions Private.

Paris, Dec. 9—In order to put a stop to the scandalous scenes which have taken place so frequently in the last two years when the guillotine has been used so frequently in the towns, the council of state has advised a letter to the minister of justice, M. Crupp, asking that a bill be brought in by which executions be made private in the future by conducting them in the interior of prisons.

New H.B. Stores for Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Dec. 9—It is understood here that Messrs. Burke, Horgood and White, architects, of Toronto, are preparing plans for a two million dollar departmental stores of the Hudson's Bay Company, to be erected next year on the recently purchased Portage avenue site.

Religious Fanatic Found Guilty.

Portland, Maine, Dec. 9—Roy, Frank W. Sandford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us Society, was found guilty of causing the death of six persons on board the yacht "Coronet" by a jury in the district court today. He will be sentenced on December 15th.

U.S. Postal Dept. Shows Surplus.

Washington, Dec. 10—For the first time since 1882, the annual financial statement of the post office department shows a surplus instead of a deficit. This is the burden of the annual report of Postmaster General Hitchcock, made public today.

SAID THAT WINTER DELAYS THE TROOPS

London, Dec. 11—The Teheran correspondent of the Times says that the whole Russian expedition will not reach Kasvin until Wednesday, the wintry weather delaying the progress of the troops. There will probably be further delay before the march on Teheran is begun.

MINISTRY IGNORES EFFORTS FOR SHUSTER

Feeling in England Was Aroused by Belief That Government Had Joined With Russia to Overthrow Government Methods in Persia.

London, Dec. 9—The Persian imbroglio has apparently settled down to the question of Russia's demand for the removal of W. Morgan Shuster, the American treasurer-general.

Persia is endeavoring to effect a compromise so she may be able to retain Mr. Shuster's services as he has offered to curtail his powers at the demand for his dismissal be withdrawn.

Much of the feeling in England on this subject was caused by the belief that the Government had joined Russia in an attempt to overthrow government methods in Persia. Sir Edward Morley's assurances on this point in response to Lord Curzon's criticism in the House of Lords on Thursday served to quiet apprehension, but all efforts in Mr. Shuster's behalf are ignored by the ministry.

TRADE COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE DUTIES

Said That Tariff Commission to be Appointed by Borden Administration Will First Look into Duties on Agricultural Machinery — Then Comes Steel Industry.

Ottawa, Dec. 10—The first task to be undertaken by the tariff commission after it has been named by the Government will be an inquiry into the agricultural implement industry, with the idea of ascertaining what tariff there is for the contention that the time has come when the rates should be reduced. Western members, irrespective of party, have claimed that the duties on agricultural implements should be reduced to a lower point than the 17 1-2 per cent. now collected.

W. F. Cockshutt, in the House the other day, announced that the United States manufacturers are still able to sell implements cheaper than the Canadian makers and the time has not yet come when the duties should be reduced. The duty of the tariff commission will be to get at the facts and reports its findings to the Government. In view of the request recently made by representatives of the steel companies it is probable that the commission will make a study of the steel industry as soon after it is named as possible and the Government will decide as the result of the data laid before it whether the steel industry is entitled to more encouragement in the way of the renewal of the recently expired bounties of an increase in the tariffs.

THREE PERISH IN FIRE.

And Baby Burned so Badly it Will Probably Die.

Quebec, Dec. 9—Mrs. John Thomas, a young English woman, twenty-five years of age, and two children, aged five and four years, respectively, were burned to death in a fire which occurred in Champlain street this morning. In the same fire, a three month-old baby was so badly burned that it can not recover. The family occupied the second floor of the building, known as the St. Lawrence club, and the fire broke out soon after the father had left home to go to his work at the Chateau Frontenac. Its origin is a mystery. A man named Harry Marquis, who occupied the third floor, barely saved himself and his family by lowering them down at the rear of the building by a rope. The automobile garage of J. M. Landry on St. Paul street, with a number of automobiles, was also destroyed by fire.

Borden Meets Roosevelt.

New York, Dec. 19—R. L. Borden, Premier of Canada, and Mrs Borden left for Ottawa tonight after spending three day's in this city. The Canadian Premier was the guest at luncheon on Saturday of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at Oyster Bay. This was the first time the Canadian Premier had met the former president.

Dynamite Bomb Explodes.

Liege, Belgium, Dec. 10—A dynamite bomb was exploded here tonight during a crowded cinematograph exhibition. A panic ensued in which 50 persons were injured, several of them fatally. The police believe that a discharged employee threw the bomb.

MANGLED BODIES BURIED IN MINE

Surviving Miners Toil on Foodless and Sleepless to Rescue.

HOW TO CARE FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHAN

Impossible to Get Authentic Figures of Number in the Mine.

Brice-ville, Tenn., Dec. 10—Somewhere in the depths of the Cross Mountain Coal Mine probably one hundred men lie dead tonight, while their sorrow-stricken families keep vigil at the mouth of their tomb, hoping against hope their loved ones may be alive when rescuers reach them. Eight torn and mangled bodies have been brought forth at night, while search was abandoned for the day. Outside of the immediate families of the entombed men, no one is in this little mountain village.

For more than thirty-six hours every surviving miner in this region had toiled with no thought of food, sleep or pay, to remove the debris and force fresh air into the innermost recesses of the mine. Tonight they practically had penetrated to the main entry head nearly three miles in. Tomorrow they expect to be ready to work the cross entries in which the great mass of the victims undoubtedly were cast by the force of the blast.

Black damp developed late today and stopped work for a time, but soon the silent force pushed dauntlessly on; some of them till they were carried out overcome by gas. There is hardly a family in the entire Coal Creek valley that has not felt the touch of death. The problem of caring for the widows and orphans is a grave one, requiring immediate solution. It has been impossible to get any authentic figures on the exact number of men in the mine when the explosion occurred. Mine officers have given out no statement. That it is more than a hundred seems certain. It is expected much of the black damp will be driven from the passes tonight. Tomorrow, with the crew of one rescue party on the ground, another bringing food and representatives of the Red Cross on hand it is expected rescue work so far badly retarded, will go forward rapidly.

GETS BIG SALVAGE.

Steamer Claims 10,000 Pounds for Towing Steamer and Gets $12,500 From Judge.

Halifax, Dec. 10—Judge Drysdale delivered judgment in the admiralty court on Saturday in the cases of the steamer Engerie vs. the steamer Berwindmoor and the cable ship MacKay Bennett, arising from a collision. The former ship claims 10,000 pounds for salvage for towing the disabled steamer from off Sable Island to off Halifax harbor.

The judge awarded her $12,500. In the case of the MacKay Bennett claim for $10,000 for assisting in the tow from off the harbor, the judge awarded $600. Of the above, $10,000 goes to the owners of Engerie and $2,000 to the captain and crew; $500 goes to the owners of the MacKay Bennett and $100 to the captain.

Physician Is Acquitted.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 9—Tonight the jury in the trial of Dr. D. F. Dunne, of Cass Lake, charged with committing arson at Black Duck, returned a verdict of not guilty, having been out three hours and a half. On the first ballot the jury stood eleven to one in favor of acquittal. The verdict ends the action, the opinion of his innocence in the minds of the jurors.

Heavy Sentence for Ex-R.N.W.M.P.

Yorkton, Sask., Dec. 9—Judge Johnstone sentenced ex-Constable Walter T Ross, R.N.W.M.P., today to ten years in the penitentiary on each of three charges for forgery and two thefts ,the terms to run concurrently. He said Ross was responsible and educated, and should have protected rather than take advantage of the class of men who were his victims.

Will Use Ice for Transport.

Winnipeg, Dec. 10—Timothy Foley, of Foley, Welch and Stewart, who is here from Vancouver, announces that his firm will make use of the ice of the Fraser river this winter to transport supplies for different points along the right of way of the G.T.P., thus saving several months' delay to the work.

Many Cholera Cases.

Chiasso, Switzerland, Dec. 10—The official bulletin issued by the Italian government on the cholera epidemic reports 50 cases and 15 deaths in Italy for the week ending December 3. All the cases are in Sicily.

RESIGNATION OF DR. McDIARMID

Will Sever His Connection With Well Known Baptist Institution at Brandon.

Brandon, Dec. 9—Announcement this morning that Dr. McDiarmid, president of Brandon Baptist College, had resigned caused great surprise here. The matter came before the college last night He will continue in office till the close of the present college year which ends in June. Dr. McDiarmid was the founder of the college here, which has grown to great proportions. He came here from Toronto twelve years ago. His strenuous labors here necessitate a vacation, which Dr. McDiarmid will take when he returns.

Well Known Farmer Killed.

Crossfield, Alta., Dec. 9—J. T. Johnson, a well known farmer was killed in a runaway last night. The body was found under the buggy two miles from the town this morning.

MIDDAY HOLD UP IN MINNEAPOLIS

Heavily Armed Men Spring From Auto on Street and Rob Pedestrian —Later Hold Up Another, Taking Diamond Ring and Stud.

Minneapolis, Dec. 10—Four men heavily armed stepped from a stolen auto at Hennepin and Fifteenth street early today and while a 16-year-old girl looked on, held up Anton Holasteck and beat him with their revolvers and robbed him of $85.

While he lay bleeding and half stunned on the walk, the men jumped into the car with the girl and sped out Hennepin avenue toward Lowry hill. Holasteck made his way to the nearest telephone and the car dashed about the city.

An hour later, the robbers returned to a point within three blocks of the first robbery. Jumped from the machine and held up R. R. White at Hawthorn avenue and Seventeenth street. White had a diamond ring and stud. The robbers beat him and took both, valued at $600. The machine then dashed out to Bryn Mawr, closely pursued by the police auto, but as yet they are uncaptured.

ENTWISTLE AND G.T.P. HAVE COME TO TERMS

Final and Satisfactory Adjustment Has Been Made of the Difficulties—Trains Will Now Make Regular Stops at the Town.

Entwistle, Dec. 9—Final and satisfactory adjustment of the recent differences between the railway commissioners and local officials of the Grand Trunk Pacific at this place appears now to be assured through the energetic action of a committee of determined citizens, who made it their task to keep back the facts from publication. Upon the refusal of the G.T.P. train crews to obey the recent order of the commissioners to make regular stops at Entwistle as well as the suburban station a mile and a quarter outside the town, the committee mentioned organized a night party with red lanterns, boarded the train in true outlaw style, and after a quarrel lasting for 20 cents per head, as demanded by the conductor for their few minutes' ride of a mile and a quarter to the suburban station, proceeded to advertise the situation to the train's passengers.

It was down the plan of the "holdup" committee, in case the train crew should not accede to their wishes, to go to Edmonton and face the division superintendent with a formal demand for explanation as to his reasons for failure to comply with the order of the railway commissioners. This proved unnecessary, as the superintendent was on board, and was also wroth, stating to the committee the next morning, in no mild language, that stopping a train was a penitentiary offence, and that action on that ground had already been commenced.

The committee advised the superintendent to go ahead with the action, as that was just the kind of publicity they were looking for. Finding his threats, as well as his bluffs futile, the superintendent ordered the train stopped at Entwistle, and even became so docile as to promise regular stops at this station in future. A member petition of Entwistle citizens is now being prepared with a view to bringing the G.T.P. officials into a clearer understanding of up-to-date hold-up methods when townsite rights are called in question. As there was no bloodshed in this instance, it is generally believed that the Entwistle outlaws will not be immediately prosecuted for their determined undertaking as a red lantern organization.

Used the "Third Degree."

Toronto, Dec. 4—C. B. McDonald, who was defending J. Madill in the police court yesterday, charged a detective with using the "third degree" to get a confession from the prisoner. It is likely that a charge will be laid before the chief constable. Crown Attorney Corley characterized any such action as abominable, but expressed his doubts about it. The prisoner was charged with the theft of a suit of clothes.

ELECTIONS IN ONTARIO TODAY

The Return of Premier Whitney's Government Is Conceded

EXPECT TO CARRY 94 OF THE SEATS

Conservatives Are Charged With Flooding N. Oxford With Money

Toronto, Dec. 10—The final gun in the provincial campaign was fired last night and everything points to a sweeping victory for the Whitney Government at the polls tomorrow. Premier Whitney made his final speech in Hamilton, bringing to an end a determined attempt by the Government to defeat Alan Studholme in the Labor stronghold in Hamilton East.

The Conservative candidate in that constituency is Controller W. H. Cooper and it is generally thought that he will succeed in defeating the only Labor member that sat in the last provincial legislature, though the fight will be a close one

N. W. Rowell brought his campaign to a close with the assistance of Hon. Geo. P. Graham, ex-minister of railways, who spoke at his final meeting in Woodstock. This old time Liberal stronghold, North Oxford, is not regarded as particularly safe. The Liberals have been charging the Conservatives with flooding the constituency with money in order to defeat the newly selected opposition leader, but the charge is energetically denied by the Government's speakers.

The strength of the Government's position may be gathered from the fact that many Conservatives confidently expect to carry 94 out of 106 seats in the Legislature.

The opposition promises have not been calculated to catch many votes among the French Canadians, though it is expected that the Liberals will carry Glengarry, Prescott and Sturgeon Falls on account of this question. The Government carried 17 seats by acclamation and the organization claims to be sure of 73 more, making a total of 90. The opposition, on the other hand, claims that they are sure of nine seats.

Italians Must Depart.

Smyrna, Dec. 10—The police authorities have issued orders for the departure of all Italians from this district within five days.

KING GEORGE HAS HAD A BUSY TIME

More Than a Hundred Native Princes Have Been Received in Audience by the King and Their Visits Have Been Returned by Viceroy.

Delhi, India, Dec. 10—King George has had a busy time since his arrival in camp for there has been a succession of ceremonies during the past three days. More than 100 native princes have been received in audience by the King and their visits have been returned by the King's command by the viceroy. Today, King George and Queen Mary reviewed a magnificent troop of native cavalry, which was an impressive spectacle.

FIND McNAMARA'S SECRETARY

Police Believe That She Had Much Information About Dynamiting

Indianapolis Dec. 10—Miss Nora Haley, 25 years old, strikingly handsome and for two years private secretary and confidential friend of J. J. McNamara, has been found in Chicago by detectives after a search lasting nearly one year. Government officials believe Miss Haley knows more than anyone else about the dynamiting plots in which it is charged that other members of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers were engaged with John J. McNamara and his brother. It is understood that her information involving "the higher ups" is more definite than that of Ortie McManigal, the informer.

Will Expel Italians.

Constantinople, Dec. 10—The Constantinople papers announce that the Turkish government has decided to expel most of the Italians from the Gallipoli peninsula, the territory around the Dardanelles and Smyrna. It is understood the expulsion will first come operative first in all fortified places.

Will Announce Reform.

London, Dec. 11—The Daily Mail's Delhi correspondent says that after the Durbar the King will announce an important reform, promising higher commissions for native officers.

NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

RED DEER.

Bulletin News Service.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the town of Red Deer was held Monday evening in the Odd-Fellows' Hall, and a large number of citizens were present to hear the reports. Mayor Weidner reviewed the work of the town council during the past year and showed that though the taxable area was only one and a quarter sections of land, and notwithstanding the fact that the assessment of improvements had been reduced 40 per cent, the tax rate was only 16 mills this year.

Red Deer now possesses two beautiful natural parks—Gaets Park, bordering on the Red Deer river, which was donated by H. H. Gaets, and Waskasoo Park, consisting of about twenty acres of land, in the south dale. They had also purchased the old Exhibition Grounds for agricultural and sport purposes.

Over one and a half miles of cement sidewalk had been laid this year, and on the residential streets boulevards had been laid out which would help to beautify the town. The streets and houses had been illuminated and the people were making use of them.

The fire department had kept up to its high standard this year. There had been a fire loss of $1,275.00, all of which was covered by insurance. A phone fire alarm system had been established, duplicate pump at the upper house and duplicate main to Gaets avenue had been installed, and through these things the rate of fire insurance was reduced this year five cents.

The building permits issued to date amounted to $200,600, and it was gratifying to know that the great majority of the houses being built are modern in every way.

In closing, he said that he thought the citizens of Red Deer were proud to live in such a prosperous town, where they could get so many advantages for such a small tax rate, and that, in his opinion, there was great credit due to the form of government used in Red Deer, viz. the commission system, which had been working successfully for the past few years.

Secretary - Treasurer Stephenson gave a very complete and clear statement showing the receipts and expenditures of the town and showed that the town was in the best of financial circumstances. He pointed out that though the town had a great many improvements the borrowing credit of the town had only been used to the extent of 40 per cent, and that the assets of the town of Red Deer amounted to $194,000.00.

Cushing Brothers, owing to the rapid manner in which their business is growing, have decided to build a cash and door factory in Red Deer this spring. It will probably be on their property on Recorder street, close to the railway. Mr. Byers, their manager here, says that his firm also intent to make this a wholesale distributing point for a great deal of their finished material.

VERMILION.

Bulletin News Service.

Miss Agnes Stephens, who has spent the summer months with her brothers, Messrs. J. D. and H. N. Stephens, has left on her return trip home to Glencoe, Ont.

Gordon McPhee is now running a crushing and sawing outfit.

Rev. E. J. Tyner gave an address to the Oddfellows in Rutherford's hall on Friday evening last.

Miss Cora Emerson spent the week-end with Mrs. J. D. Stephens.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Norman Atkinson's tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. P. H. Pilkie has returned from Edmonton hospital, where she spent the last couple of months.

Davis McPhee and Wm. Simonette are busy loading a car of wheat. The weather the last few weeks has been very favorable for their work.

J. R. Woodward is leaving for Liverpool, Eng., on Dec. 8th. Mr. Woodward has resided in Vermilion for the last eight years and is now going to take a well deserved holiday.

G. W. Maggs is building a large two storey frame dwelling house on his hrinestead in the Pelican Lake district. Mr. Maggs has also installed at the farm an eight horse power chopping outfit, which is contained in a two-storey frame building and is doing a large business among his neighbors.

Williamson and Snellarove, of 52-5, delivered a fine bunch of cattle to W. J. Rutherford, buyer. The bunch comprise some 66 fine beeves. Mr. Rutherford declares that they are the finest lot yet delivered at Vermilion.

P. Williamson is leaving for England on Dec. 5th, and on his return voyage will be accompanied by Mrs. Williamson.

Craig and Falkins conducted a sale for J. M. Elliott, consisting of some thirty head of high class horses and twenty head of cattle.

C. P. Stephens, of C. P. Stephens Co., Winnipeg, spent a couple of days in town the guest of his nephews, Messrs. Stephens Bros.

The marriage of C. A. Seaton, of Naughton, Alta., to Annie Walmsley, of Deloraine, Man., took place here on Tuesday last, at the Methodist parsonage. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. J. Hodgins.

Last Monday evening the annual ratepayers' meeting of the town of Vermilion was held in the council chamber of the town hall. All the members of the council were present and a large number of the ratepayers. On motion of H. N. Stephens-Mackenzie, Dr. Ryan was voted to the chair and he immediately called for a report of the years work from the mayor, the reading of which showed the busy year of the council, all work being advantageously executed. In the absence of the secretary-treasurer the mayor also read the financial report. A report of school matters was read by the chairman, W. J. Scott, and Principal Black was heard relative to school work done. The meeting was adjourned after a vote of thanks was tendered to the mayor and council for the good work done for the town.

STROME

Bulletin News Service.

On Sunday morning thieves broke into the slaughter house of Messrs. Rjdwell and Morrow, Wm. Ott also lost about a mile from town on their ranch and took two veal carcasses and all the hearts and liver they could find, together with the knives and lariat. They carried the booty in a demoralized which left a conspicuous trail in the soft snow that was easily traceable for miles. The mounted police have been notified and confidence is expressed that the thieves will be located in a day or two.

Work in connection with the Strome grist mill is proceeding rapidly, and carloads of lumber and cement are expected in daily. The mild weather now prevailing will enable the workmen to commence operations at soon as the necessary material arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vaughan and Miss Thomas late of Winchmore Hill, London, England, and Denbigh, North Wales, are at present the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jenkyns. The visitors previous to their departure from London were the recipients of numerous presents from friends and well-wishers Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan receiving handsome illuminated addresses from the Welsh community in Wood Green, London, among whom they had spent years in religious and social work. Mr. Vaughan will establish a business in Canada as soon as he is favorably impressed with a location.

The skating rink this year is proving a great attraction being far better equipped than on previous occasions. The town hand is often in attendance and incandescent illumination of the rink is given at nights.

Several farmers from the outlying districts are removing into the town for the winter months in order to facilitate the attendance of their children at school.

A new sidewalk connecting the school with the main sidewalks ole to be erected in the especial interest of the children attending school.

The dilatoriness of the council in providing public light for the town is still a subject evoking strong comments.

To cope with the heavy increasing work at the depot, Agent Kent has been supplied with an assistant from the C. P. R. headquarters.

Inquiries for trackage in rent at the depot elicited, in reply that there is no more space available. Strome is still growing.

DELBURNE NEWS

Bulletin News Service.

Red Wing school will hold their regular Christmas entertainment on Friday evening, December 22nd.

A baby boy arrived last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buttleworth.

Rev. A. D. Currie has returned and regular service was held last Sunday in St. James church.

Gaets Valley Sunbeam school purpose holding a concert in the school on Thursday evening, December 21st.

Mr. Jones took a great load of fresh meat and fowl to Red Deer last week for shipment west.

PRESIDENT ADDRESSES PEACE MASS MEETING

Washington, Dec. 8—President Taft was the principal speaker at a peace mass meeting tonight, called to arouse sentiment in favor of the ratification of the proposed arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and France. The meeting was the first of a series that will be held in all the leading cities of the country for the ratification of the treaties. President Taft briefly repeated what he has said in his numerous speeches on the subject. Senator Burton, of Ohio, president of the American Peace society, presided and addresses were made by Representatives J. Foster, of Vermont, and Richard Bartlot, of Missouri, and by S. S. Himada, of Japan.

Mrs. Glendenning held her usual "at home" on Thursday.

Charles Culham ho has been away for the past number of years, arrived home last Friday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Culham.

Arthur Meikle left Delburne where he had been for several years to his homestead, some nine miles the other side of Red Deer, last week.

Ardley is having their opening dance on Friday evening, December 15th.

The concert which was to have been held on the 15th of December, in St. James church, has been postponed.

Delburne merchants are arranging their store windows with seasonable holiday attire and the Christmas trees with the regular Christmas decorations truly have a festive promise.

Mrs. Robert Hartmann was driving a team some distance from her home one day recently when she had the misfortune to meet an auto. The horses took fright and before she or them under control they had thrown her out and broken the ric. Mrs. Hartmann had a severe shaking up but nothing more serious resulted.

Mrs. Stewart Thayer leaves Saturday December 16th, for Winnipeg, to join her sister there and then go to Quebec to spend Christmas with their parents at their girthood home. Mrs. Thayer has two sons at present in Quebec, have been with their grandparents for the last year.

Delburne board of trade held their second meeting on Monday evening, December 4th, which was largely attended by enthusiastic townfolk. Important questions regarding improvements were considered and discussed. Committees were appointed and the general outlook seems promising.

Approve Guarantee of Bonds

High River, Alta., Dec. 8—The High River council late tonight went on record as favouring a government guarantee of bonds for the High River and Hudson Bay Railway to the extent of thirteen thousand dollars per mile. The route for which the promoters have obtained a provincial charter is from a point on the British Columbia boundary through the town of High River, through or near Bassano and Easterly to the eastern boundary of the Province from where it is proposed to build to connect with the government road to Hudson Bay. The council were assured if the bonds were guaranteed by the government construction would commence in a reasonable time.

NEWS OF STRATHCONA

LOCALS

A meeting will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Young Men's Club, Strathcona, to organize a hockey club. All interested are invited to attend.

A large list of fines were handed out at the city police office Saturday morning. Over half a dozen persons received fines.

The board of license commissioners will hold a meeting at Strathcona on Friday, the 12th day of January, 1912, to consider a liquor license which has been asked for on White Avenue by the Northern Wine and Spirit Co., Limited. The company are seeking for a license for Lot 1, Block 59, north side of the avenue. The notice of the meeting is given by L. F. Clarry, deputy attorney general.

An accident occurred on the bridge crossing the Saskatchewan river on Saturday morning. A portable boiler being hauled on a sled and drawn by four horses, got stalled on the street car rails. A drove of cattle, driven along by two men on horseback and a car load of sheep came at the same time, and for a few minutes the whole scene was confusion. The car attempted to drive between horses and boiler a pair behind but all in vain. Finally after delaying the car for nearly twenty minutes, the boiler was got into position and the horses pulled it away.

J. F. Klass is giving up farming and is leaving immediately for sunny California.

Julius Arrant was brought before Magistrate Downes Friday morning charged with being drunk on the public streets of the city. He pleaded not guilty saying he was sick and ill when collared by the police. He was recognized by the magistrate as an old offender and he was mulcted $10 and costs or twenty days in jail.

Chief Robinson applied for leave to take out a summons against W. J. Adshead, farmer, for contravening one of the city by-laws in that he did break and destroy some trees and shrubs and crossed the cemented sidewalks with a team and wagon. The application was granted.

Friday morning two little boys, one aged 7 and the other 8, left Strathcona station unattended, bound for Chicago. Their mother died about a year ago in the city hospital, and their father is in Dawson City, Yukon. Their uncle in Strathcona has sent them to the town of Lee, Illinois, to some friends there. In charge of the little mites the will meet a kind and hearty welcome

Tobin Gets Judgment Against G.T.P.

Moose Jaw, Dec. 7.—The jury in the Supreme Court today awarded J. J. Tobin, formerly employed by the C.P.R., $12,097 damages and costs against the company for permanent injuries received while working at a construction gang, owing to the man in charge of the McMann gravel spreader touching a valve wrod of the machine, that fell on Tobin, breaking one leg and doing other injuries. The broken leg would not heal and medical evidence showed it may have to be amputated.

IN THE REALM OF WOMAN

BY PENELOPE

Mrs. A. Archibald will receive for the first time since her marriage on Monday, December 11, at 47 Seventh Street, and afterwards on the second Monday of every month.

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On Friday afternoon Mrs. D. S. McKenzie entertained at a delightful five o'clock in honor of Mrs. Sisley. The hostess was very pretty in a mauve satin gown relieved with filmy lace garnitures. The guest of honor looked very handsome in tailored toilette in brown tones with hat to match. Marabout furs finished this rich costume. At the tea table, which was resplendent with crimson carnations, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. Tory and Mrs. Gillespie did the honors.

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The pretty rooms echoed much mirth at the tea hour to which a certain myst charm is always incidental. A few of the guests were Mrs. Hitton, Mrs. Sisley, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Tory, Mrs. Broadus, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Millar, Mrs. Dyde, Mrs. Hislop, Mrs. Forin, Mrs. McDougall, Mrs. Ingles, Mrs. Bowers, and others. Miss Forin and Miss Stocks assisted.

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Mrs. Dickins entertained at a delightful matinee bridge on Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Stephenson (Peterboro) and Mrs. McPherson (Winnipeg). The hostess' greeting was as cordial and the party, a particularly merry one.

Mrs. Dickins wore a smartly cut gown of white silk, with black hairline stripe.

The prize scores were made by Mrs. Nash and Miss Lowden. The former received a handsome fern pot and the latter a pair of brass candlesticks.

Magnificent yellow chrysanthemums centred the table. Here Mrs. Fox-ton poured tea, while Madame Cauchon cut the ices. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Charlesworth dispensed hospitalities.

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Mrs. Cornwall, with her wee daughter, Peace, also Mrs. Tierney, leave for the East on Monday, later going to California, where they will spend the winter.

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Mrs. McPherson, who has been visiting in Edmonton for some time, the guest of Mrs. Bulyea, at Government House; Mrs. Cantley, Belton Lodge and Mrs. Braithwaite, leaves for her home in Winnipeg tonight.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Silver entertained at bridge in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Levesque, prior to their leaving for Los Angeles, where they intend spending the winter months. The honors were won by Miss Morkin and Mrs. Levesque and Messrs. Auger and McGill. A dainty supper was served, after which Mrs. Levesque was presented by the hostess with a beautiful travelling bag.

Presbyterian College Association Meets.

The ladies of the Robertson Presbyterian College Association met Tuesday afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton. Owing to the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid being held at the same hour in the schoolroom of the church, there was not such a large attendance as there otherwise would have been. The president, Mrs. R. B. Wells, occupied the chair. Mrs. Gillespie opened the meeting with prayer, after which the secretary, Mrs. Ewing, read the minutes of last meeting. Mrs. Dyde gave the report of the "house committee," which included a list of articles donated and articles bought for the furnishing of the Presbyterian College at Strathcona. The treasurer, Mrs. Runnalls, reported money contributed by the different churches as follows: First Presbyterian, $299.00; Knox (Strathcona), $222.00; Robertson, $190.75; Erskine, $25.00; Westminster, $5.00; making a total of $841.75. Expenditures amounted to $654.02, leaving on hand a balance of $187.73. Mrs. Bush read the report of the social committee.

The president reported the insuring of the furniture of the college for $1,200 for three years, and on behalf of the guild thanked the ladies of Strathcona for their good work done in looking after the furnishing, and also for managing the public reception held at the college on November 17th.

Mrs. Wells outlined the aims of the association, after which Mrs. Ewing read the constitution, which was unanimously adopted. It is as follows:

Article 1—This organization shall be known as the Robertson College Women's Association.

Article 2—The object of this association shall be to provide furnishings for the residence of the Theological College of Alberta, and further the development of the educational interests of the college, as agreed in such manner as this association may deem advisable.

Article 3—All the Presbyterian women of Alberta shall be eligible for membership upon the payment of an annual fee of $1.00.

Article 4—Section 1: The officers of this association shall be honorary president, president, 1st vice-president, 2nd vice-president, 3rd vice-president, recording secretary, corresponding secretary and treasurer.

Section 2—The officers of the association, together with five conveners appointed by the association, and representing the five Presbyterian churches of Edmonton, shall constitute an executive committee, with power to transact the business of the association in the interim of its meetings.

Section 3—It shall be the duty of the president to preside at all meetings of the association and of the executive committee. The vice-presidents in order of their appointment shall have, in the absence of the president, all the powers and perform all the duties of the president.

Section 4—The duties of the recording secretary shall be: (a) To keep full minutes of the meetings of the association; (b) To see that proper announcements of all meetings are made; (c) To notify all officers and members of committees of their appointment as such; (d) such further or other duties as the association or the executive shall from time to time prescribe.

Section 5—The duties of the corresponding secretary shall be: (a) To conduct the correspondence of the association; (b) to report at the annual meeting; (c) such further and other duties as the association or the executive shall from time to time prescribe.

Section 6—The treasurer shall have charge of all the funds belonging to the association, receive dues, keep account of expenditure and receipts and report regularly to the executive and to the association.

Article 5—The officers shall hold office for one year, or until the annual meeting next after their appointment, and shall be eligible for re-election, and they shall have power to fill, pro tem., any vacancies that may occur.

Article 6—The annual meeting of the association shall be held in September, at such time and place as the executive committee shall appoint.

Article 7—This constitution may be altered by a vote of three-quarters of the members present at any general meeting of the association, notice of the proposed amendment having been given in writing at least one month prior to such meeting.

By-law 1—The regular general meetings of the association shall be held . . . . . .

A special general meeting of the association may be called at any time by the executive.

By-law 2—The executive committee shall meet quarterly, special meetings may be called by the president and shall be called at the request of three members of the committee.

By-law 3—Five members of the executive shall constitute a quorum.

Order of business at regular meetings of the executive shall be: (1) Opening or meeting with prayer; (2) Reading of the minutes of previous meeting; (3) Business arising out of the minutes; (4) Treasurer's report; (5) Report of standing committees; (6) Report of special committees; (7) New business; (8) Adjournment.

By-law 4—At the regular meeting of the executive immediately preceding the annual meeting, the president shall appoint a nominating committee, consisting of five members, who shall prepare a list of officers for the ensuing year, which shall be submitted to the annual meeting.

By-law 5—These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting, notice of the proposed amendment having been given in writing at a previous regular meeting.

It was decided by the ladies present to take steps at once to affiliate with the Local Council of Women.

Mrs. Dyde announced the gift of a scholarship of $25 for two years for the best student in "Bible knowledge," from A. L. Marks, of Strathcona.

At the suggestion of the president, it was decided to apply $25 of the money on hand towards a scholarship for extra-mural students.

Mrs. Ewing was then chosen by the meeting to go to Calgary and Lethbridge, at the beginning of the year, to organize associations in these cities.

Meetings will be held at three o'clock on the fourth Saturday of each quarter.

IN STRATHCONA.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Palmer expects to leave shortly for the Coast where they will spend a couple of months.

Miss Myrtle Turrie returned on Saturday from a visit to Vegreville.

The bazaar held on Friday and Saturday by the ladies of the Metropolitan Methodist church was a success both financially and socially. The fancy articles and home-made cooking found ready purchasers and the tea tables were well patronized.

Mrs. Dawson will hold her post nuptial reception tomorrow.

ENTERTAINMENTS

THE MAN FROM MEXICO

The famous farce "The Man from Mexico" will have a splendid presentation at the Empire theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings with Saturday matinee, Dec. 14th, 15th and 16th, by Geo. H. Summers and his excellent company. The farce is one of the funniest ever produced by the great American comedian Willie Collier. Mr. Summers has made a special effort in its production this season, and the success that has attended its every presentation has more than justified the expense and trouble incurred, for without special scenery and costumes the comedy loses much of its interest and charm. The plot is unique, the dialogue brisk, and the fun fast and furious, and Geo. H. Summers is always in the centre of the maelstrom of merriment.

"THE RIGHT OF WAY."

Following is a synopsis of "The Right of Way" which will be presented the first three days of this week by the Sanford Dodge Co., at the Empire theatre: "In the first act Charley Steele is the brilliant, aristocratic lawyer, with a tendency toward infidelity, and although he has been kind and thoughtful to a degree towards others, and has always been generous and considerate towards his friends, one by one they repudiate him; even his own wife is anxious to leave him, and, as he says himself, he is a moral poison. He determines to get away from it all and in order to do so he goes to Cote Darion, a river tavern, where he is told some of the river men threaten his life because of his attention to the girl Suson, who is the pretty barmaid there. He finds the ruffians there, already angry and sullen, and provoking them again and again with the keen shafts of his wit and satire, much the same as the toreador torments the infuriated animals in a Mexican bull ring, they finally rush upon him, and in the unequal fight that follows Charley is struck on the head with a heavy bottle. He is then taken by Joe Portugais the man he saved from the gallows, and carried to his cabin in the heart of the Vadrome mountains, 200 miles down the river.

The second act shows Charley three years later at Portugais' cabin in the mountains. He is perfectly well physically and his mind is extremely active, but his memory of the past is obliterated. A great surgeon from Paris is visiting his brother, the curé of the little parish. Charley has fallen in love with Rosalie, the belle of the village, not remembering that he is already married, and she falls deeply in love with him. The surgeon offers to perform an operation, which he believes will restore Charley's memory, but Steele at first says he does not wish it, but some people see him who have known him in the past, and they access him of so many things that after a strong scene in which he vainly tries to remember, he says, "Tell the surgeon I am ready; I wish to know the past."

In the third act he recovers his memory after the surgeon's operation, only to realize that, although he loves Rosalie, he has a wife living. The people of the parish hear about him and his past, and denounce him as a seducer and infidel, and, the most bitter one of all the fanatical tailor, attempts his life. In the face of all this he takes Rosalie in his arms, saying to hell with their hypocrisy, and "The Right of Way," and that he will keep her in spite of all the world.

In the last act the church is set on fire, and in order to rescue the man who has tried to injure him Charley inhales the damps, which cause his death. Greater love hath no man than he who gives up his own life for his friend. How much, after was Charley Steele when he gave his life for his enemy.

A DEBUTANTE AND THE RICHEST YOUNG WOMAN IN WASHINGTON.

Miss Marguerite French Draper, daughter of the late Gen. William T. Draper. She will make her bow to Washington society on December 26th. She is a multi-millionaire's daughter, but she will be a mighty event—if she will be a mighty event—if she brings from Florida will fill around her rich father's only child. Her debut will be a mighty event—if she brings from Florida will fill around her birds from California and butterflies from Florida will fill around her home, and there will be musical gardens of exotics from the tropics—rest and genuine summer scenes and tropical setting to a mid-winter event.

Rev. C. H. Huestis, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance for Alberta and British Columbia, preached last night in the Baptist church. Mr. Huestis has made friends in Strathcona who were glad to welcome him here for the first time in his new capacity.

Mr. E. T. Colton of New York one of the lecturers of the International Y.M.C.A. is a guest at the University.

C. R. Sayer, Western secretary of the Y.M.C.A. spoke yesterday afternoon to a large audience and the Young Men's Club rooms. Mr. Sayer is a guest at the university.

Victor McIlroy left on Saturday night to spend Christmas at his old home in Ontario. Mrs. McIlroy who has been in the East for several months will return with him.

On Friday evening at the University the oratorical contest was won by J. Collins, '15. The prize is a beautiful silver medal which the freshmen are quite elated over as one of their number having won.

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THE GOVERNMENT AND THE "NE TEMERE" DECREE.

The discussions which have taken place in the House of Commons since the opening of the Session have cleared up several mysteries connected with the late election. It is universally conceded that the Conservative sweep of Ontario was as great a surprise to the victors as to the vanquished, and the question "Why?" could not be answered from a consideration of the election campaign, as it appeared in the public press. It was only by the indiscreet statements of supporters of the present Government made in the course of debate, that the knowledge was conveyed that appeals to religious prejudice based on the "ne temere" decree in regard to mixed marriages, was largely responsible for the defeat of the late Government. The argument being that the decree was an attack by the Roman Catholic church on Protestant rights which received its strength from its support by Sir Wilfrid Laurier as the head of the Liberal Government. From these statements made in the House, and as well from the utterances of the Orange Sentinel after the election, it was plain that thousands of Liberal Protestants had voted for the Conservative candidates, believing that in doing so, they were protecting Protestant rights.

The question of the responsibility of the Government for dealing with the attitude of the Roman Catholic church on the subject of marriage, had been raised in the late Parliament by means of questions asked the Government. In all cases the answer was that the Government had no authority and therefore no responsibility in the matter. There is no doubt that this reply of the late Government was used effectively in the late campaign to its condemnation, as having refused to take action when Protestant rights demanded that action should be taken. The campaign was successful, and the Liberal Government with its French and Catholic Leader was displaced from power and responsibility, and a Conservative Government, led by Hon. R. L. Borden, English and Protestant, was established. Every responsibility which rested upon the late Government for the protection of Protestant rights, rests exactly in the same degree upon the present Government. As a [illegible] Government, who [illegible] to take action where it claimed it had authority to act, the present Government [illegible] waiting if it follows the same course. It is not necessarily for the well-being of the Country that certain sections of the population who are ready to project prejudices, either religious, racial or sectional into the consideration of economic affairs, should understand not only the result of their action as far as economics are concerned, but also should realize how far they have fallen short in achieving that protection of Protestant right which they had in mind. On Thursday, November 30th Mr. Bolvin asked in the House of Commons, as reported in Hansard: "Has the Dominion government power to legalize or validate any or every marriage solemnized anywhere in Canada?" and Mr. Borden replied: "This question is, strictly speaking, a question of law and, therefore, not usual under the practice of the House of Commons. For the information of the hon. gentleman I may say that the Dominion government has no legislative power whatever in such matters. So far as the Dominion parliament is concerned—and perhaps the question was directed to the power of parliament rather than to the power of the government—the jurisdiction of parliament is fixed by section 91, subsection 26 of the British North America Act, which confers upon it the right to legislate with reference to marriage and divorce. The jurisdiction of the provincial legislatures in such matters is conferred by section 92, sub-section 12, of the British North America Act, which confers upon the provincial legislatures jurisdiction with respect to the solemnization of marriage in the province."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "That is safe."

Mr. Borden: "It is not only safe, but accurate."

The answer of the present Premier is identical in effect with the answer of the late Government on the same subject. It was the correct answer and stated the correct constitutional position when it was given by the late Government, and is just as correct and states the constitutional position properly when given by the present Government. But it leaves those who were influenced to vote against the candidates of the late Government because that Government simply told the truth, in the position that they have placed in power a Government which takes exactly the same constitutional position as their predecessors, but has this difference, that whereas the late Government stood for Liberal principles and therefore for equal rights and fair dealings between all sections and classes of the community, the present Government under the same constitutional limitations is, as shown by the debate on the navy question, under the direction and control of the Nationalist party, whose foundation principles are sectionalism, separation and intolerance.

PART OF THE PRICE

In the estimates for the current year the Dominion Government ask the permission of parliament to make the following expenditures in Alberta:

Athabaska Landing, addition to public building	$1,000.00
Calgary, immigration building	25,000.00
Calgary, barracks for Strathcona Horse	20,000.00
Calgary, new post office building	75,000.00
Calgary, siding stations for geodetic survey	5,000.00
Camrose, public building	10,000.00
Edmonton, new drill hall	50,000.00
Edmonton, new Dominion lands office, lease	20,000.00
Edmonton, public building, to pay local improvement	3,727.02
Edmonton, public buildings	7,000.00
Lethbridge, new post office	15,000.00
Lethbridge, customs house and new Dominion lands office, heating and plumbing	7,000.00
Strathcona, armory	25,000.00
Athabasca river, removal of boulders and deepening channel	15,000.00
Edmonton, wharf	10,000.00
Lesser Slave Lake, government provisional improvements	8,000.00
Surveys of rapids, North and South Saskatchewan and other navigable streams	35,000.00
North Saskatchewan river, to complete piers and dams at Goose Island Encampment	35,000.00
Edmonton, bridge, renewal of flooring, etc	4,500.00
Athabasca Landing, extending telegraph line to Grande Prairie	22,500.00
Athabaska Landing, telegraph line to Fort McMurray	29,000.00
Telegraph line from near Moose to Dartinsville	6,650.00
Shifting telegraph line from farms to established roadway	5,000.00
Peace River telegraph line, office buildings	7,600.00
Alberta and Saskatchewan, operation of Government telegraph lines	45,000.00

These items are identical with those brought down last session by the Laurier Government, but which owing to the blockade established by the opposition did not get through in time for use during the past summer. A sum equivalent to five-twelfths of the whole estimates was allowed to pass in order that the current business of the country might go on; the remainder Parliament is now being asked to pass. Had Mr. Borden and his friends taken a more reasonable attitude at last session, some of the more pressing projects might now be well on toward completion. Other than the fact that the money had not been voted, there was no reason why—for instance—the "wharf" to be built along the sliding bank in the eastern part of the city should not have been got under way months ago. That the items are now brought in without modification, and Parliament asked to pass them on recommendation of the ministers, is proof that in holding up the same items a few months ago Mr. Borden and his associates were not doing so in any belief that the expenditures were improper or unwarranted, or that the sums asked for were too large. They held up these and the other proposed expenditures as a means of forcing the then Government to abandon reciprocity. The delay in carrying on these works is merely another instalment of the penalty levied upon Alberta by the war of the Trusts and Mergers upon the interests and liabilities of the Alberta farmer.

Big Coal Handling Contract.

Port Arthur, Dec. 7—The Burnett-McQueen Company today received a contract from the Canadian Northern Coal and Ore Docks Company to double the coal handling capacity of the company's plant here and will start work at once. Two hundred men will be employed all winter and expenditure will reach half a million $'s.

HUSBAND AND WIFE SERVE ON SAME JURY.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 8—"We voted together," said Mrs. Gideon Fraser, who, with her husband, sat three days on the same jury, and helped return a verdict today convicting Meyer Cohen, of embezzlement from the Moose lodge. It was the rst time a husband and a wife ever served on the same jury as far as is known.

HAZEN ON STILL HUNT FOR A NAVAL POLICY

Ottawa Journal (Conservative) Says Navy Minister Will go to England After Christmas to Obtain Admiralty's Opinion as to Best Naval Policy for Canada.

Ottawa, Dec. 8—The Evening Journal says: "It is now practically understood in political and official circles that Mr. Borden will be enabled to announce his naval policy to the House some little time after the reassembling of parliament in January. It is decided that Hon. J. D. Hazen will leave for England immediately after Christmas and that he will be accompanied by the deputy minister of naval affairs. It is understood that his stay will be as brief as the nature of his business will permit and he will endeavor to get back home in time to give the government an opportunity of coming to an understanding respecting the navy in time to reach a decision before adjournment.

Of course, it is realized that the formation of a naval policy is no small task for even the admiralty authorities, and it may take Mr. Hazen considerable time to reach a point where he feels satisfied that he has accomplished the mission which he was sent to fulfil, and secured information required by his colleagues here in deciding as to what the policy shall be.

MARINE DEPARTMENT TABLES ANNUAL REPORT

Increases in Canadian Shipping and Improvements in Transportation Routes Recorded—Men and Boys Employed in Shipping Estimated to Number 40,070.

Ottawa, Dec. 9—Increases in Canadian shipping and improvements in transportation routes and aids to navigation are reported in the annual report of the marine department tabled in the house yesterday. The number of vessels in the register at the end of last year was 7,901 and th total tonnage 7,595,929, the latter represented $22,527,876, an increase, of $1,062,735 in a year. Men and boys employed in shipping were estimated to number 40,070.

Departmental appropriations amounted to $6,196,722 and exenditure $4,798,988. Many improvements are referred to, among them being the adoption of modern dioptric lights at the principal coast stations. Up to the end of 1910, there had been spent on the channel between Montreal and Quebec, a total of $8,355,322 for dredging and $3,756,710 for plants.

MCNAMARAS REFUSE TO GIVE INFORMATION

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 9—The McNamara brothers probably never will testify before the federal grand jury here. It was announced that after the session today the grand jury which is inquiring into the alleged dynamite conspiracy, would not convene again, until next Tuesday, and it was said to be certain by that time James B. and John J. McNamara would have begun at San Quentin state prison their sentences of life imprisonment and 15 years, respectively. Their emphatic declaration that they would not divulge what they knew of the alleged conspiracy is said to have resulted in the action to take the McNamaras to the penitentiary either today or tomorrow.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, at the present session thereof, for an Act to incorporate the "The Edmonton City Mission Association of the Methodist Church", for the purpose of administering and disposing of the property and assets now held in trust for the association and to receive hold, sell and otherwise deal with real and personal property and rights, and to obtain such other powers and rights as will enable the applicants to more efficiently carry out the purposes and objects of the proposed association.

Dated at Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1911.

BOYLE, PARLEE & CO.,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

THREE YEARS AHEAD OF TIME; THAT'S ALL.

High River, Alta., Nov. 9—Dr. Stanley was nominated at the Conservative convention here today, addressed a gathering of electors in the town hall tonight and made a favorable impression. Under Michener and George Hoadley, M. LA., were expected to assist at the meeting but were detained at Edmonton.

THE FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL MARKETS

EDMONTON CITY MARKET.

Edmonton, Nov. 28.—With a steady demand for farm produce prices are holding their own in Edmonton, although there has been little change in market conditions for the last week. While everybody wants to stock up on potatoes, the supply is far far in more than equal to the demand, and quotations are about the same. Good tubers are bringing from 40 to 45c per bushel, with every prospect of stiffer prices in the next few days.

A few are complaining of having purchased potatoes which were frost-bitten, indicating that probably some failed to take the necessary precaution during the recent cold snap. Other vegetables are selling at the prices that have prevailed for far a month.

Grain prices are still weak, if anything weaker than a few days ago. Oats have shaded off from 86 to 87 to 83 to 84. Wheat is beginning to come in and the elevators are doing a fairly good business with the farmers.

GRAIN—LOCAL PRICES

No. 1 Northern	89c
No. 2 Northern	86c
No. 3 Northern	76c
No. 4 Northern	65c
Oats	32-33c
Barley	45c

GRAIN ELEVATOR PRICES

No. 1 Northern	86c
No. 2 Northern	78c
No. 3 Northern	68c
No. 4 Northern	55c
No. 5 Northern	45c
No. 6 Northern	40c
No. 1 Rejected	65c
No. 2 Rejected	62c
No. 3 Rejected	58c
Feed wheat bus	34c
Oats	25-26c
No. 3 barley	43c
No. 4 barley	35c

HAY

Timothy, ton	$15.00
Upland, ton	$14
Slough, ton	$10-12

MEAT AND WOOL

Green Hides, lb.	7 1-2c
Dry, lb.	11 1-2c

VEGETABLES

Potatoes	40c
Onions, lb	2c
Turnips, lb	1c
Beets, lb	1 1-2c
Carrots, lb	1 1-2c
Cabbage, lb	1 1-2 2c
Celery, lb.	8c

POULTRY

Fowl, (dressed) lb.	12-15c
Chicken, spring, (dressed)	12 1-2 to 17c
Turkey (dressed)	20c
Geese, (dressed)	15-16c

BUTTER AND EGGS—

Retail prices for produce are:

Tub butter	28c to 31c
Dairy	22c to 27c
Creamery	32c
Eggs	40-45c

The wholesale produce market is expected the following prices for butter and eggs laid down in Edmonton:

Creamery	26c
Dairy	27c

For straight candled new laid eggs 30c per dozen is paid.

The Swift Canadian circular dated Nov. 23, gives the following quotations to shippers good from December 2nd to Dec. 27th, weighed off cars at Edmonton.

HOGS

Roughs and heavies 6 to 7c.

Choice quality hogs, fat ... not the 7 1-2c.

Extra fat cows 1150 lbs. and up, 3 1-2 to 4c.

Good fat steers 900 to 1000 lbs. 3 3-4c to 4c.

Medium fat heifers 1050 lbs. and up 3 to 3 1-4c.

Good fat steers, 1000 to 1200 lbs. 3 3-4 to 3 3-4c.

Medium fat cows, 900 to 1050 3 3-4 to 3c

Good bulls and stags, 2 3-4 to 3c.

Medium bulls and stags, 2 1-2 to 2 3-4.

CALVES—

Good calves, 125 to 200, 5 to 5 3-4.

Good calves, 200 to 300, 4 to 4 1-2.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—

Medium fat heifers 900 to 1050, 3 to

Choice sheep, 4 to 4 1-2c.

Choice lambs, 6c.

J. Gainer of Strathcona announces the following prices:

Extra Fat Thick smooth steers 900 lbs. and up, 4 1-2c lb.

Extra fat thick smooth cows, 900 lbs. and up, 3 3-4c lb.

Choice fat calves, 125 to 200 lbs. each 5c.

Choice fat lambs ... 6c

Select hogs 150 to 250 lbs. each 6c.

Extra fat thick smooth heifers 900 lbs and up, 4 1-4.

Winnipeg Grain Market.

Winnipeg, Dec. 9.—Today all the markets awoke from the five days' sleep. Business became much bigger than it had been since last Saturday. The cause was a renewal of unfavorable reports from the Argentina, which affected the Liverpool and Continental markets, the closing being higher in each case. The wheat is being shipped briskly, the inspections for the week ending December 7th, being 4,266 cars, as compared with 2,949 last year. There was a brisk demand for spot stuff and experiters also were busy. Another strengthening influence at work was the fact that most of the places in the West reported that the weather was cloudy and some snow has fallen over eight in Alberta. Futures were stronger, December closing 5-8c higher, May (old) 3-8c and May (new) 1-3c higher. The bullish news affected the American markets and the Chicago market closed 1-4c to 1-3c split higher. Minneapolis closed 1-4c higher in each month. Oats were steady at Winnipeg, December option closing 1-3c higher, while May prices were unchanged. Oats closed 1-8c to 1-4c lower. Flax again made an advance, December closing 2-3c higher and 1 1-4c in May. Duluth flax closed 1c to 1c higher. There are 900 cars in sight for inspection.

The quotations were as follows:

Wheat—	Open	Close
December	94 3-4	94 7-8
May (old)	98 3-4	98 3-4
May (new)	98 1-8	98 1-4
Oats—		
December	37 5-8	37 3-4
May	40 3-4	40 3-4
Flax—		
May	180	181
December	173	175

Winnipeg cash prices—

Wheat—	Close
1 Northern	94 3-4
2 Northern	91 3-4
3 Northern	84 3-4
4 Northern	78
5 Northern	68 1-4
6 Northern	59
Feed	57 1-4
Oats—	
No. 3 C.W.	37 5-8

American Markets—

Minneapolis—	Open	Close
December	99 1-2	98 3-4
May	104 3-4	103 1-2
July	105	104 3-4

Chicago—		
December	94 3-4	94 3-8
May	98 3-4	98 3-4
July	98 1-8	98 1-4

Winnipeg Grain Market.

Winnipeg, Dec. 9.—Following are today's quotations on the Winnipeg stock exchange:

Listed Stocks—

Canadian Pacific R. R.	Bid	Asked
City and Prov. Loan	120	
Can. Trust and Loan	115	
Gt. West Life 55 p.c. paid	309	315
Gt. West Perm Loan	125	126
Home Investment	123	
Com. Loan p.p.	113	
S. A. Warrants	990	1000
Crown Ch.	91	
Northern Ctrs.	100	102
Nor. Mort. 20 p.c. paid	115	
Northern Trust	132	
Standard Trust	162	133

Sales—

1 S. A. Warrant	1000
10 Great West Perm	124
15 Great West Perm	124
2 Great West Perm	124
2 Great West Perm	124

Toronto Stock Market.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Rio 291, 112, 1-8, 2; Commerce 207, 206 1-2, 3; Reserve 1700, 240; Maple Leaf 75, 62 1-2; Larose 100, 350; Can. Steel 50, 32 3-4; Pfd. 50, 93 1-2.

Unlisted—Swastika 100, 25 1-2; Hargraves 1000, 4.

AROUND THE CITY

LOCAL

C. W. Parker, Winnipeg, of the Western Canadian "Who's Who," is in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Good, left Saturday for a three months trip to the east.

The person holding ticket No. 107 on the fur coatee of the Hospital Aid Carnival of Amusement, will please call up Mrs. Morgan, 'phone 3146.

The death occurred on Thursday of Mrs. John C. Wolf at 815 Namayo ave. She leaves a husband and two sons and a daughter, who have the sincere sympathy of their many friends. The remains are at the Andrews' Undertaking parlors awaiting the arrival of her sister, Mrs. Dickey, of Washington D.C.

The city commissioners received a letter Saturday from the Royal Securities Company of Montreal, asking if the municipality would enter into negotiations for the private sale of the city's debentures. The municipality has heretofore disposed of the debentures through competitive bidding. The commissioners ordered the letter filed.

THRESHING FATALITY

A distressing accident occurred on Friday at Leduc when Mr. Weisbe, on brother of Miss Lydia Weisbe, who is attending college and living in Strathcona, was so seriously injured while working with a threshing outfit that during the operation at the hospital rendered necessary, he died from the loss of blood.

AN ATTRACTIVE BOOKLET

The Canadian Investment Company, Limited, 110 Jasper avenue, have just published a very interesting booklet dealing with the progressiveness of this city. It is printed on fine paper and beautifully illustrated, and this firm will mail one of these booklets to any address, either in or out of the city free of charge.

SALE OF HOTEL PROPERTY

Pursuant to orders issued by Judge of the Supreme court of Alberta, there will be offered for sale on Saturday, December 16th, at 2:30 p.m., lots 25, 26, 27 and 28, on which is situate the Hotel Quebec hotel. The sale will be subject to a reserve price fixed by the Judge and the auctioneer will be Mr. Robert Smith.

WATER SUPPLY REPORT

Before he retired from the office of city commissioner, which will probably be about January 1st, W. S. Candy expects to submit a report covering the line of investigation he has been following for some time with reference to the future water supply for the citizens of Edmonton. Since he succeeded to the place on the water committee formerly occupied by Mr. Boulton, Commissioner Candy has devoted considerable time and study to the question, with the result that he proposes to embody much of this in a report, which will be finished shortly after Christmas. Commissioner Candy said today that he was not yet prepared to give out anything as to what the report would contain.

MISSION AT ST. JOACHIM'S

At the evening service Friday the parishioners of St. Joachim were delighted to hear Rev. Fr. Donnily, O. M. I., who has come over from England, by request to devote himself to missions and retreats in the various provinces of Canada.

Rev. Fr. will spend two weeks in this city from now till Christmas. During the first week his addresses will be aimed at Catholic requirements. During the second week, beginning on Sunday, December 17th, special attention will be given to non-Catholic requirements by plain talks on Catholic tenets such as those not familiar with Catholic belief like to hear explained. Hours of services: Sunday, December 10 High mass 11 a.m.; Rosary, sermon, 7 p.m.; week days: Mass and Instruction 7:30 a.m.; Rosary sermon 8 p.m.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits have been issued from the office of the city building inspector as follows:

F. A. Smith, dwelling on Pickard street, $1,000.

S. J. Grunsott, stable on Richard St. $250.

J. J. Montgomery, alterations, Alberta avenue $100.

M. Dorsk, dwelling Otter street, $150.

E. P. Proctor, dwelling, Henry Street $400.

Mrs. Foster, addition, Henry street $300.

Free Methodist church, mission, Bulmen street $1,000.

P. Pfiefer, dwelling, Cavan street, $400.

J. W. Carpenter, repairs, Rice street $400.

H. Tranb, store, Boulevard, $3500.

M. Schadick, dwelling, Alberta ave. $1250.

REPORT ON DAIRIES

While sanitary conditions surrounding the licensed dairies of Strathcona and Strathcona were found to be fair, generally speaking, in some of the herds the cleanliness of the cows was not all that could be desired, according to the November report of A. Logan, city milk inspector. Owners of these cows were requested to give immediate attention to the necessity of maintaining better conditions. Inspector Logan's report in part follows:

W. P. Huff, 3.9 and 4.4 per cent.
S. Greenwood, 4.4 and 2.8 per cent.
J. Donnan, 4.0 and 2.8 per cent.
Geo. Nisbet, 4.4 and 4.4 per cent.
Hairs Bros., 3.9 and 4.0 per cent.
City Dairy, 4.3 and 3.6 per cent.
F. A. Lepard, 4.0 and 3.6 per cent.

The samples of milk were tested and graded for the amount of sediment contained therein with the following result:

Morris Bros., good and good.
S. Greenwood fair and bad.
W. P. Huff, poor and bad.
City Dairy fair and poor.
Hairs Bros. fair and fair.
Geo. Nisbet, poor and poor.
V. A. Lepard, poor and fair.
Jno. Donnan, fair and bad.

DISTRICT COURT CASES

Thirty civil cases are set for trial in the district court beginning Monday December 11. The calendar includes a large number of actions for debt. An appeal in the case of Rex vs Edward Martell will also be heard.

Small Debt Cases

D. McDonald vs. A. C. Smith.
W. S. Graham vs. Robert Round.
Jasper Cleaning Co., vs. L. W. Huff.
Sabods vs. Sabods.
Evans vs. Lyon.
Nelson vs. Mullen.
McDonald vs. McMann Electric.
Kenway vs. McLeod.
McCaul vs. Humphries.

Large Debt Cases

O'Brien and Woods vs. Presbyterian church.
Superior Coal Co. vs. Alf Denis Co.
Page vs. Hislop.
Laird Co. vs. Graham and Reid.
Simpson Computing Scale vs. Hehrsdofer.
Evans vs. Edmonton Concrete Co.
Moore and Co. vs. Whyte.
Molson Bank vs. Rinke and Moeller
Johnston vs. Harston and Graham.
Goldberry vs. Northern Alberta Machinery Co.
Crook vs. McCaffrey.
Smith vs. Ritchie et al.
Brown and Bigelow vs. Mazer.

New Cases

Walter Bellamy vs. A. Chandler.
Douglas Co., vs. Simon Touchette et al.
Ross Bros. vs. W. J. Martin.
Gallacher Hull vs. J. Hostyn.
Bolwker vs. Crook and McArthur.
Kalush School district vs. Achtenisuk.
Northern Hardware vs. R. C. Ferguson.

SPECIAL FEATURE AT ORPHEUM

Motion photography seems daily becoming a factor in the life of the individual and the nation. As an entertaining feature, moving pictures daily delight millions; from an education standpoint, much can be said in their favor and now a mighty war is on against the terrible White Slave Traffic, and the motion photography is leading invaluable service to the fight against this nefarious traffic. One of the greatest obstacles in the way of the organizations that are earnestly striving to stamp out this blot on civilization is the fact that the general public know little of the terrible facts in connection with the downfall of young girls. From ocean to ocean the moving picture theatre is nightly preaching a powerful sermon to fathers and mothers, warning them of the dreadful demon, White Slavery, which is striking with leprous fangs at the very root of the home and nation.

At the Orpheum theatre a magnificent presentation of the workings and destruction accomplished by the White Slave Traffic will be offered. Actual photographs taken during the recent investigation in Chicago will be shown as well as pictures of many of the noted people who are devoting their lives to the banishing of this terrible evil.

An impressive lecture by Prof. Schoff is also a feature of these wonderful pictures, and every father and mother, every young man and woman should witness this faithful and powerful presentation of the White Slave Traffic.

This reproduction is endorsed by the Press and clergy of every civilized land and everyone may attend the performance with every propriety. The first presentation of this film will be on Tuesday evening next. It will also be presented on the two succeeding evenings.

Scope of Investigation Unknown.

Los Angeles, Dec. 8.—The scope of the investigation undertaken by the federal grand jury here, and the one in Indianapolis so far as could be learned tonight, has not been sharply defined. The government officials, it is thought, will be able to determine only after the testimony of witnesses has proceeded further, whether to return indictments here or in Indiana against those persons alleged to have been implicated in a conspiracy unlawfully to transport explosives from one state to another. Both James B. and John J. McNamara remained in their cells today reiterating that they would tell nothing, even if called before the grand jury.

THE EDMONTON IDEA

Article No. 7—WEALTH PRODUCTION

There is a wide difference in the value of capital invested in development enterprises and in the value of capital invested in businesses of long established standing. A good illustration of this is the increase in national wealth of which the two great American nations will serve as an illustration. The incalculable wealth of the United States was created in a single century. But as the different sections of that nation developed the rate of increase in wealth was very greatly lessened.

For example, values in Kansas or Iowa or any of the great middle Western States, are not increasing anything nearly as rapidly now as during the time that these states were being occupied and in the process of development.

The Edmonton Portland Cement Company will also serve as an illustration. This great enterprise is founded on a vast deposit of raw materials, which a year or two ago had practically no value at all. But by reason of the industrial institution which is being established on this property, these materials, which but yesterday were valueless, will soon be transformed into wealth at the rate of quite a million dollars a year for more than a generation.

Interest rates do not apply to enterprises of this sort. When a natural resource of any kind is utilized, whether it be the marl and clay for cement, or the clay that is used for making brick, or the forests that are transformed into lumber—the processes of development and manufacture means an enormous increase in values. And the stake is all in the natural resources and the opportunities which the developing country presents.

Western Canada is an empire in the making. Of the one hundred million acres of the finest farm lands in this province, only 2 per cent. have yet felt the plow. It is difficult to realize to-day what this province will be like when the land is all occupied; when from the far north to the international boundary on the south, and from the Rocky Mountains on the west to the Great Lakes on the east, home is joined to home in one vast prosperous community. But this is all coming, and with its coming, cities are in the making; towns and villages are springing up in a day; railroads are spreading the arteries of commerce everywhere; and the institutions, industrial and commercial development, which enter into the building of this coming empire of the Northwest are practically all yet to be.

It is idle to attempt any estimate of what the wealth producing power of this country is. The farm lands alone will furnish a sufficient illustration of this. The soil of this section has a crop producing value of about $20 per acre, which means that when the land of Alberta is under cultivation, that the annual outgoing crop will bring two billions of dollars each year into this single province.

This is but an illustration. Mineral development, the lumber industry and manufacturing are all yet to be taken into account. And what ever this is to mean as a proposition for the next twenty-five years, the stake is all here now. Any man may have just as large a part of it as his foresight, courage and genius will inspire him to claim.

Interest rates have no applications to such processes as these. Money, instead of being worth 6 per cent. annually, is worth just what the advance in values in this country will be. And by every evidence the annual ratio of increase per annum is going to be many times 6 per cent.

Finally, let it be said that in **Wealth Production** by industrial development, experimentation is altogether unnecessary. Moreover the welfare and future of this country requires that the most exact and scientific methods should be employed in its development. As someone has said: "We must build right or build twice." And in building right it is only necessary that every step which enters into the development of an enterprise, the community, or the nation, be carefully, thoroughly and scientifically determined in advance, and that every step be a part of the concrete whole which is seen in its completeness from the beginning.

Two more Articles will close this series. The one which will appear on Tuesday will be on the subject, "The Ideal City and Nation." The subject of Article 9 will be announced to-morrow.

ALLAN HAYNES LIMITED

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—At the Strathcona hotel, Second-look. 188-194

WANTED—Strong delivery boy. Apply shoemaker. 555 Jasper W. 191-196

WANTED—Experienced book-keeper and night clerk. Apply Hotel Oxford. 192-194

WANTED—Boy, over 16, to sell candy in theatres, evenings. Apply Mr. Cantowitz, Windsor Hotel, 10 a.m. or write, care Empire theatre. 755

WANTED—Pick-clean upholstery for two weeks work only. No other need apply. P. O. Box 146, Strathcona, Alta. 192-194

WANTED — A representative who wishes to associate himself with a reliable company, for so-called lots in "The Bronx"; can earn $50 a week. Apply to Jas. W. Currie, secretary, 303 Moser & Ryder Bldg. 160-tf

WANTED—Men and women, to learn barber trade; expert instructors; constant practice; tools furnished; 6 weeks completes; illustrated catalogue free. Moler College, 509 Centre St., Calgary.

WANTED—Young man about 20 years old, by large wholesale concern for office work; must be bright, quick and accurate at figures. Good opening for right man. Apply Box 8 Bulletin office. 188-192

WANTED—At once, Traveller to cover Alberta with line of hats and caps and clothing. Will pay salary and commission. Only those with experience need apply. Call at 437 First street between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, and 5 and 6 o'clock in the evening. 192-193

WANTED—Smart young man, good write, under 25 years of age preferred, to take charge of books for young, growing wholesale firm, shortly after first of year. In applying give age, salary expected, experience and references, otherwise application not considered. Lengthy experience not so much necessary as that applicant be alert, quick to learn and willing to work. Applications held strictly confidential. Apply Box 87 Bulletin. 191-196

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—General Servant. Apply Mrs R. V. Bellamy, 121 McKay ave. 189-194

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Short, 711 Hardisty. 193-198

WANTED—Good general servant, must be a good cook. Apply Mrs. H. Robertson, 272 Eleventh St. 192-197

WANTED—At once, a general servant for family of two; must be a good cook; best wages paid. Apply 678 Twenty-First street. 190-195

WANTED—Girl for general housework, family of two; no children. Apply 1104 Jasper Ave. East. 'Phone 4851. 190-195

WANTED—At once, a good cook. Apply between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Madame Martin, 453 Fifteenth St. 192-197

WANTED — Young Girl for light housework and care of children. Apply in evening to 477 Fourteenth street. 192-198

WANTED—Housekeeper, young woman, fair cook, for good people, easy place, must be permanent and reliable; good wages; 2 in family. St., rear door, near St. James Hotel. 187-193

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—By young lady with two years' hospital training, position as assistant to physician or dentist, or companion to invalid. Apply Box 76 Bulletin office. 189-195

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

DRUG CLERK WANTS a situation in city or town. First-class dispenser. Apply Box 16 Bulletin office.

WANTED—Position in store by young man speaking German, Galician, Russian and English. Apply 12 York St. 183-194

WANTED—Young respectable man, aged 20, desires position in town; knows city well. Write or call, J. C., 513 Isabella street. 192-194

WANTED—Can you use a first-class bookkeeper and correspondent, one who has made good? Am at present employed, but desire unlimited opportunity. Box 33 Bulletin. 189-194

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED—Primary teacher for Camrose school, to begin January 3rd. Initial salary $650 with yearly increase. R. D. Fleming, Camrose. 192-195

WANTED—Teacher for the Beaver Hills School District No. 34, one female, holding first or second class certificate; must be a good disciplinarian. State experience and salary expected. Must be a Protestant. Apply not later than December 15th, 1911, to T. H. Attewell, sec.-treas., Ardrella P.O., Alta.

LOST.

LOST—Small leather purse containing Bank of Commerce five dollar bills, one four dollar bill, small change and street car tickets. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning to the Bulletin office. 192-193

LOST—From 242 Queen's Avenue, a French Toy Poodle pup, answers to the name of "Bob." Liberal reward offered for his return. Anyone detaining him after this will be prosecuted. John Kelly, 242 Queen's Avenue. 188-192

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN — One Llewellyn Setter dog, color white with Belton blue markings, dark ears with patch extending to the eyes. Legs and feathered. Had on leather collar with plate. No name on collar. Return to R. F. Emery, 844 Sixth Street, and receive reward. 191-193

CEMETERY WORK.

ALBERTA GRANITE & MARBLE CO. Clark and First Sts. Monuments. Phone 808 P. Hunter.

MACHINERY

NICHOLS BROS., Machinists, Gasoline engines, sawmill work a specialty. Sawmills always in stock. 'Phone 2227. 110 Syndicate Avenue.

TO RENT

TO RENT—Furnished room, modern, near street car. Apply 186 Kennedy street. 188-193

TO RENT—Nicely furnished front room, private family, all modern. Apply 420 6th St. 189-194

TO RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with use of kitchen and basement. Fully modern. Apply 448 Elizabeth St.

TO RENT—Heated Storage on Spurred track. Western Cartage Co. 755 Fourth street. 189-194

TO RENT—Store to Rent on Jasper Avenue. Apply 742 Jasper Ave. W. corner of 8th St. 191-196

TO RENT—Furnished for 3 months from date, 6-roomed bungalow in West End, entirely modern. 'Phone 2494. 191-196

TO RENT—Cottage, four rooms, large lot, $16 a month; cottage, 5 rooms, large lot, $17 a month, convenient to cars, sidewalk, etc. Apply to T. N. Bowden or C. B. Heck, 56 McDougall Ave. 'Phone 1815.

TO RENT—A flat with seven rooms and bath, four rooms nicely furnished. Will give good lease on flat and will sacrifice furniture. Must be sold at once. Apply Box 77, Bulletin Office. 190-192

FOR RENT—New 4-roomed bungalow, modern, also furniture for sale, viz: solid oak folding bed, combination glass cupboard and sideboard, inlaid rosewood parlor set, heater and cook stove, pictures, Singer sewing machine, etc. Apply to J. A. Shanks, 632 Sixteenth St., two doors north of the Methodist church. 192-193

FOR RENT—House No. 2024 Jasper W. 9 rooms, bath and pantry, 4 bedrooms with closets, hardwood floors, fire place, full basement, laundry tubs, cement floor and good furnace. One of the best vacant lots in the city, overlooking the golf links and Saskatchewan valley, with splendid view of high level bridge and Capital buildings; possession immediate. Only $60 per month. For further information apply to owners, Hegler and Sutcliffe, 374 Jasper East.

WANTED

WANTED—Lots on Syndicate and Westmount. Owners only. Apply Box 36 Gen. Del. 186-tf

WANTED—A Remington Typewriter, must be in good condition. Apply Box H, Bulletin. 189-194

WANTED—To buy, a five or six room, well kept, modern house, cheap. Apply S. S. Franklin Co., 68 Jasper East.

WANTED—Fully modern house, new or nearly so, in good locality; must be cheap as we have, but will be sold cheap. Apply Box 1, Bulletin office. 188-194

WANTED—Immediately, one or two lots in Garneau estate, or Windsor Park. Apply giving full particulars, including lowest price, to Box 68 Bulletin. 193-195

WANTED—Young ladies wishing to join a party for Europe, next fall or the spring, may communicate with Miss Smith, care of Rev. Canon Smith, London, Ontario. 192-202

FOR EXCHANGE—I have one thousand shares of mining stock, good rating on local market, will exchange for other good stock, or sell in some 'Phone 4263, or P. O. Box 1297. 188-193

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. MOSHER'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—For Women and Girls. 416 Namayo Ave., Edmonton, Alta., only four blocks from C.N.R. station. Consult us when wanting help or desiring a situation. Careful and conscientious attention given each applicant; housekeepers always in demand.

LOGAN'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY Ltd. 437 First Street. 'Phone 1448. Entrance on Rice Street—Wants 25 axemen, cutting cords-of-wood, $30 an acre and on 10 laborers for ditch work, $2.75 a day; board $4.50 a week. Teamsters $40 and $45 a month, winter's work. Call on us for any kind of work; large list of orders on hand at present.

SURVEYORS

M. IMPEY, Dominion Land Surveyor and Civil Engineer, Sovereign Block, 248 Jasper E. Edmonton.

G. V. HEATHCOTT, Dominion and Surveyor and Civil Engineer, room 25 Credit Foncier Building, Jasper Ave., West, Edmonton, Alta. Office 'phone 1878. Residence 2018.

CAUTLEY AND CARTHEW, Alberta and Dominion Land Surveyors Topographical Surveys, City and sub-division surveys. All kinds of draughting done. 141 Jasper Ave. W., Edmonton. 'Phone 1718.

DRISCOLL & KNIGHT, Surveyors and Engineers special attention given to towns and sub-divisions, mine surveys; maps compiled and lithographed; electric blue prints and general drafting under special department; maps of Edmonton, Strathcona and other cities. Office 244 Jasper Ave. E. Edmonton. Phone 1781. Grain Exchange Building, Calgary. Phone 8266.

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DAVIES CO.—Complete outfits and supplies for Surveyors, Sportsmen, Trappers, Prospectors, Summer Campers and others leading an outdoor life. Tents, tarpaulins and bags in stock or made to order. See price list in Journal. 66 McDougall Ave. 'Phone 8254.

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$125 Will Buy One Lot High and Dry, near G.T.P. Shops; $10 down will handle one lot, balance monthly. E. A. Moore, in Sale Crown Life Insurance Co. Jasper Ave. East.

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FOR SALE—For 10 days only, seven-roomed fully modern house, on Syndicate Avenue, cement basement and good barn. $4500; $2800 cash, balance 1 and 2 years. 'Phone 4849 190-195

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COAL PROPOSITION — With good showing of eight foot vein, no dues or royalty, surface right included; R.R. on property, easy terms, excellent for development or speculation. P. O. Box 1297, or call 208 Fraser Ave. 'Phone 4263.

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City of Strathcona, Alberta.

1912 PAVING

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Mayor and Council of the City of Strathcona, Alberta, and endorsed "Tender for 1912 Paving," will be received at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, until twelve o'clock noon on Friday, December 15th, 1912, for approximately 130,000 square yards of street grading and paving with curb, within the City of Strathcona. Specifications and all information may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer.

Tenders are invited for Wood Block, Asphalt Block, Sheet Asphalt, Bitulithic or other kinds of pavements. Proprietors of patented pavements are invited to furnish their special specifications.

Tenderers are requested to submit bids as follows:

Tender No.1—Unit Prices for whole work.

Tender No. 2—Unit Prices for 60,000 square yards.

Tender No. 3—Unit Prices for 40,000 square yards.

Tender No. 4—Unit Prices for 20,000 square yards.

An accepted cheque for five per cent of the amount of the tender must accompany each bid.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Strathcona, Alta., this 5th day of December, 1911.

A. J. McLEAN,
City Engineer.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

BARRISTERS.

JOHN P. C. BOWN, K.C., Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, Room 18, Empire Block, Edmonton.

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D. H. MacKINNON
Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public
Offices 254 Jasper Avenue E.
Over Northern Crown Bank.
'Phone 4232.
MONEY TO LOAN

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COTE & SMITH—J. L. Cote, D. L. S., C. E. Frank B. Smith, D. L. S., C. E. M. E. Cote, C. E. Dominion Land Engineers, Surveyors, Draughtsmen, Mining and Civil Engineers (Dominion Land Office Building) 1027 Jasper Ave. East, Edmonton. Phone 4227. Edmonton and Athabasca Landing.

ARCHITECTS.

E. C. HOPKINS, F.S.I.C., A.A.A., Architect, 137 Jasper Ave., Edmonton. 'Phone 4227.

A. M. CALDERON, F.R.I.B.A., A.A.A. Architect, 343 Jasper Ave. West, Edmonton, Canada.

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VOICE CULTURE—Madame A. Dan Cochrane, G.C.M., teaching studied under Signor Garcia and Professor Fred Walker, London, England, and Madame Duvivier, Paris; is prepared to accept a limited number of pupils in voice culture; pupils prepared for examination. Will be at 642 5th street every Thursday, or appointments may be made by 'phone 2214. Voices tested free of charge.

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SOCIETIES.

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CALEDONIAN SOCIETY—Meets every Thursday evening in Separate School Hall, 5th street. Business meetings 1st and 3rd Thursdays. Social meetings 2nd and 4th Thursdays. All Scotchmen cordially invited. John McPherson, president. J. C McCaig, secretary, 46 Jasper Ave.

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HENRY HILTON & CO., give the highest spot cash prices for furniture in large or small lots; camp outfits of every description. Also dispose of your goods get our prices. Call and see the largest stock of second hand furniture in the city: everything for the home; farm implements in stock. Henry Hilton & Co., 222, 223 and 232 Namayo Ave. 'Phone 1522.

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Cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing by tailors of 20 years experience. Prices guaranteed. Goods called for and delivered. Special attention to alterations. Room 6 Hanna Block, 544 First Street.

JUDICIAL SALE OF STRATHCONA LOTS

PURSUANT to Order there will be sold with the approbation of a Judge of the Supreme Court of Alberta by J. S. McWhitney, Auctioneer, at his office, No. 9, WHYTE AVENUE, WEST STRATHCONA, on WEDNESDAY, 20th DECEMBER, 1911, at 3 o'clock p.m., the following Property:

Parcel 1—Lots 7 and 8, Block 2, Subdivision, Silver Heights Subdivision Strathcona.

Parcel 2—Lots 22 and 24, Block 109, Plan 1, 13 Strathcona.

The Lots in Parcel 1 each are 33 feet by 130 feet, and face on Reid Avenue, one Block South of Clover Bar Road.

The Lots in Parcel 2 are 33 feet by 120 feet and face on Fifth Avenue North, and are about one and a quarter Blocks from the street car line. There is water connection on the street.

Each parcel is to be offered for sale separately, subject to a reserve bid fixed by a Judge. Any purchaser is at the time of the sale to pay down a deposit of twenty per cent. of the purchase price to the Vendor's Solicitors, and the balance of the purchase price to be paid on or about one and a quarter Blocks from the street car line. There is water connection on the street.

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Further particulars may be had from Messrs. Ewing and Harvie, Barristers, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 24th day of November, 1911.

ALEX. TAYLOR,
Clerk of the Court.

DEPARTMENT, 1912 PAVING.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for 1912 Paving", will be received at the office of the Commissioners, Edmonton, Alberta, until twelve o'clock noon on the 15th day of December, 1911, for approximately 160,000 square yards of Street grading and paving with curb.

Preliminary plans, specifications, and other information may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer, plans and specifications on file at the office of the Canadian Engineer, 62 Church Street, Toronto, and Contract Record, 220 King Street West, Toronto. A deposit fee of Five Dollars ($5.00) is required, which will be refunded when plans are returned.

Tenders are invited for Wood Block, Asphalt Block, Sheet Asphalt, Bitulithic, or other kinds of pavement.

Proprietors of patented pavements are requested to furnish their special specifications.

Tenderers are requested to submit bids as follows:

Tender No.1—Unit Prices for whole work.

Tender No. 2—Unit Prices for 60,000 square yards.

Tender No. 3—Unit Prices for 40,000 square yards.

Tender No. 4—Unit Prices for 20,000 square yards.

An accepted cheque for five per cent of the amount of the tender must accompany each bid.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Reasons for submitting tenders has been extended from Dec. 1st to Dec. 15th, 1911.

CITY COMMISSIONERS.
Office of the City Commissioners.

JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM NEAR LAC STE. ANNE

PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT and final order for sale, there will be sold with the approbation of a Judge of the Supreme Court by Robert Smith, Auctioneer, at number 63 McDougall Avenue, at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1912, the South West Quarter of Section 13, in Township 54, Range 27, West of the 5th Meridian.

The land consists of 160 acres, more or less of which 110 are cultivated, and the balance is wood and bush with some meadow. The land is about 10 miles from Lac Ste. Anne and 7 miles from Onoway. The nearest Elevator is at Entwistle, but the land is a quarter of a mile from the C.N.R. and a siding for loading is expected to be operated next summer. The nearest market is Lac Ste. Anne; the nearest shipping point is one mile from the property. The church is three miles away. The water is very good. The buildings consist of one very good dwelling log house with plastered walls and two stables. The said farm is half fenced and the soil is black loam.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid fixed by a Judge.

The terms of the sale shall be 10 per cent. of the purchase price cash at the time of the sale, and the balance to be made into Court within 60 days therefrom.

In other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Further particulars can be had from Messrs. Bredin & Giroux, Solicitors, Edmonton, or Messrs. Emery, Newell, Ford, Bolton & Mount, Solicitors, Edmonton.

Dated this 21st day of November, A. D. 1911.

(Sgd.) ALEX. TAYLOR,
C. S. C.

Messrs. Garipey & Giroux,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

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1 SNAP

$3100 INGLEWOOD for double corner in Block 69, only $1500 cash, and the balance in 1 and 2 years at 8 per cent.

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$1500 KINISTINO AVE. for Lot 25, Block 29, R.L. 14; good terms.

$35 CASH, Handles 5 acres in Fort George.

$2000 SYNDICATE AVE. for Lot in Block 21, R.L. 14; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.

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$575 EACH NINTH ST. for five lots Block 4, Evanston. Terms only $280 cash, and balance in 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent.

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$750 NORWOOD for 1 lot in Block 20, on Sinclair St. Terms 1-2 cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months.

$1200 NORWOOD for 2 lots in Block 66; terms 1-2 cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent.

$4500 NORWOOD BOULEVARD for 1 Lot in Block 40. This lot is 32x132 feet. Terms 1-3 cash, and the balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

$725 NORWOOD for lot in Block 18 on York St. Terms $400 cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent.

$1000 NORWOOD for 2 lots in Block 43. Terms arranged. This is a good buy.

$700 NORWOOD for 1 lot on Spruce St. Terms 1-2 cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months.

SNAP.

$700 GALLAGHER ST. for 1 lot in Block 26, R.L. 16-18; terms, 1-3 cash and the balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

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$1400 WESTMOUNT buys two lots in Block Twenty Westmount, on the usual terms.

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6 Acres for $4000; terms 1-4 cash and balance 1 2 and 2 years. This beautiful property is at present selling in five-acre blocks and is situated just one half mile from property, which is selling for $1000 per acre. Edmonton Heights, if subdivided into lots, would cost you just $25 per lot. Now, does this property not appeal to you at that price? Where can you make an investment in this city which will net you as big returns as you are sure of making in Edmonton Heights. We guarantee every block high dry and level and a sure money maker. It's dollars in your pocket by buying Edmonton Heights.

Five Acre Blocks $7200; 1-4 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

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STRATHCONA.
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4 lots Block 2, Martin, $200 each.
3 lots Block 14, Beau Park, $275 each.
160 acres two miles from post office, $300 per acre.
2 lots 1st Ave. North, between 4th and 5th St. West, $1000 each.
2 lots on Whyte Ave. between 4th and 5th St. West, $2400 each.
2 corner lots Block 7, Beau Park, $750.
4 lots in Garneau Addition, $400 each; these are on 4th St. West.
Watch our office for sale on McKernan Estate, the choicest residential property in the Twin Cities will be on the market in a few days.
Automobile always ready to show our property. We handle stocks on Vancouver and Winnipeg exchanges.

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HAZELTON—We are agents for the G.T.P. Official Townsite and are prepared to receive applications for LOTS in the railway subdivision. $10 per lot application.

Double corner Block 15, H.B.R., $3-500; good terms.

Lot 107 Block 14, H.B.R., $1650; good terms.

Corner lot Block 9, H.B.R., $2000; $1200 cash, 6 and 12.

Lot in Block 12, H.B.R., $1700; 1-2 cash, 6, 12 and 18.

Lot in Block 9, Namayo, Norwood, $2300; $800 cash, 6, 12 and 18.

Lot in Block 6, Beechmount, First St., $750; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12.

Lot in Block 32, Norwood, Kirkness St., $1050; $200 will handle.

Two lots Block 3, Westmount, $600 each.

Triple corner Block 10, Inglewood, 24th St., $4500.

Double corner Block 28, Inglewood, 24th St., $3200.

Lot in Block 51, Inglewood, $1250; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12.

Corner lot Block 3, Groat, $1100; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12.

Lot in Block 113, New Glenora, $2,000; $900 cash, 6 and 18.

Lot in Block 38, New Glenora, $2000; 1-2 cash, 6 and 18.

Lot in Block 116, New Glenora, $2-300; 1-2 cash, 6 and 18.

Two lots Block 6, Capital Hill, $3,000; 1-3 cash, 1 and 2 years.

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Edmonton Alberta

RIVER LOT 16.

Lot 25 Block 17, $2000; terms.
Lot 5 Block 6 (corner), terms.

RIVER LOT 12-14.

Lot 5 Block 18, $2300; terms.
Lot 2 Block 12, $1100; terms.
Lot 8 Block 84, $1800; terms.
Lot 9, Block 9, $2700; terms.

RIVER LOT 18.

Lots 21-22-23-24 Block 10, $7000; terms.

Lot 21 Block 14, $2500.
Lot 28 Block 19, $2500.
Lot 10 Block 26, $750.
Lot 20 Block 19, $1250.

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Lots $35 down, balance $10 per mon.

KENSINGTON

Lots $25 down, $10 per month.
Some good property in South Edmonton.
Some good acreage at right prices.

EVANSTON

Lots 46-47 Block 7, $1150 for two; terms.
Lot 30 Block 9, $600; terms.
Lots 24-28 Block 8, $400 each; terms

INGLEWOOD

Lot 13 Block 47, $1000; terms.
Lot 9 Block 47, $1000; terms.
Lots 14-15-16 Block 47, $1000 each; terms.
Lots 1-2-3 Block 20, $700; each.
Lots 16-17 Block 30, $1300 for two; terms.

WESTMOUNT

Lot 13 Block 48, $550.
Lot 10 Block 7, $1500.
Lot 6 Block 7, $1000.
Lot 18 Block 14, $725.
Lot 12 Block 46, $450.
Lot 16 Block 38, $500.
Lot 16 Block 11, $750.
Lots 11-12 Block 2, $3000.
Lots 1 to 6 Block 26, $3500.
Lots 1 to 4 Block 8, $350 each.
4 lots on River St. $1250 each.

NORWOOD

Lot 20 Block 6, $2100.
Lot 31 Block 2, $3000.
Lot 3 Block 9, $3500.
Lot 16 Block 1, $6000.

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Snaps for Today only

Lot 4, Blk. 125, Glenora, $2,000

Lot 2, Blk. 115 Glenora, $2,500

N.W 1-4 Blk. 48, Jasper Place, $2,000.

8-Roomed house in Jasper Place, $4,200.

BUY VIEW LOTS IN
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Real Estate—For Sale

HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS OF REAL ESTATE.

STRATHCONA INVESTMENT CO.,
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We want to see you if you intend to invest in Strathcona city property or farm land. You have the money and we have the best propositions on the market. Therefore, don't fail to come and see us before you buy. Look over the list here advertised, then come and see us.

10 acre block, lies very high and in first-class condition for putting in garden truck. Located very close in. Price $5000; 1-3 cash.

Strathcona Place—Corner 99 feet frontage, Price $1250; 1-2 cash, balance 6 and 12.

CRESCENT HEIGHTS.

This beautiful subdivision is now on the market. Lots are a stalled time will be sold only by the full block of 16 lots, $32x132 each, or by the half block of 18 lots, 32x132 each. Price $1000 to $1250 per half block of 18 lots, $100 cash, balance arranged. These prices are good for a short time only. Crescent Heights lies beautiful and high, and one mile east of King Edward Park. A year ago you could buy half blocks in King Edward Park at $1000 to $1500. Today single lots are selling at $175 to $400 each. A rapid advance is sure to come in 1912, owing to the street car extension to King Edward Park. This street car extension will also benefit greatly Crescent Heights. Only a small number of lots are for sale, a half block in Crescent Heights. Prices will soon be advanced.

WHYTE AVENUE WEST

2 lots Block 132, $4000 each; will sell singly.
1 lot Block 66, $8000.
1 Lot Block 143, $2100.
3 Lots Block 147, $2000 each; will sell singly.
1 Lot Block 67, $12,000; improved.
1 Lot Block 62, $10,500.

WHYTE AVENUE EAST

1 lot Block 68 (corner) $9000.
41 feet Block 70 (corner) $5500.
44 feet Block 69, $150 per foot.
1 lot Block 71, with house, $3500; $1000; 1, 2 and 3 years.
2 lots Block 72, (double corner) $6,500.
2 lots Block 72, $2600 each; easy terms; will sell singly.

SUBDIVISION PROPERTIES

We have several A 1 pieces of acreage for subdivision. Prices 25 cents to $20 acres. See us at once as these will be soon picked up. Terms on most of these are very easy.

MODERN HOMES.

We have several for sale on easy payments and first class, with all modern improvements. Price $4400 to $5500. We have houses for sale in all parts of the city of Strathcona on easy terms. Some modern houses on payments $300 cash.

KING EDWARD PARK.

6 choice lots Block 14, $250 each.
4 choice lots Block 16, $300 each (corner).

BEAU PARK.

4 lots Block 11, $300 each; will sell pairs.
2 lots Block 11, $325 each; will sell pair.
2 lots Block 6, $325 each; will sell pair.
24 lots Block 12, $300 each; will sell pairs.

STRATHCONA PLACE

Corner 99 ft. frontage, $1250; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12.

GARNEAU

2 lots Block 108, $400 each.
2 lots Block 154, $850 each.
2 lots Block 162, $1100 each.
1 Lot Block 165, $1200.
2 Lots Block 179, $1500 each.
1 Lot Block 182, $1500.

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Crop payments—We have several of the finest farms in Alberta on crop payments in Quarter and Half Sections, from 1-4 to 1 1-2 miles from St. R. towns, and land nearly all open, ready for the plow. You can no risk buying this way, as when the crop is light you have no heavy payment to meet. A small cash payment is required. After the small first payment crop payments only. See us about them.

154 acres 21 miles from Edmonton 3 miles from A 1 railroad town. 100 acres in cultivation, good buildings, all fenced and cross fenced, fine creek and a splendid spring on place. Price $4000, but look at the terms, $650 cash balance in one, two and three years. Look into this at once.

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320 acres—As fine a farm as you ever saw. 300 acres prairie, balance brush, located 3-4 mile from good R. R. town. This is worth $35 per acre. You can buy it for $12 cash; $14 on easy terms. See us about this bargain at once.

See us for farm lands.
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Real Estate—For Sale

2 Big Snaps

$4000

Buys a block of Eleven Lots, including two corners, in west end. This is certainly great buying for a quick profit. Easy terms.

$9500

For a block of Eighteen Choice Lots, including three corners, size 50 by 140 feet. This is the best buy in the city for the money. Let us show you this property if you are looking for something really good.

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63 McDougall Ave.
Phone 1611

ALBERTA REAL ESTATE CO.
'Phone 3737. 536 Kinistino Ave.

First-class hotel for sale, in good busy town on C.N.R. main line, on easy terms. Owner compelled to sell. Price, $12,000.00.

5-roomed fully modern cottage, full sized cellar, on Morris street, for $3,400; cash $1,300, balance easy.

4-roomed modern cottage on Ottawa avenue for $2,500.00 half cash, balance 6 and 12 months.

2-roomed shack and full sized lot on Clark street, for $1,050, on easy terms. Rents for 7.50 per month.

Kinistino avenue, lot in block 11, for $1,250; half cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. This is a dead snap.

Lot 29, Block 12, Kinistino avenue, for $2,000.00. Only $1,000.00 cash, 6 and 12.

Syndicate Avenue, Lot 6, R.L. 16, for $3,600.00.

Lot on Morris street for $1,200. Good terms.

NORWOOD.

Lots 14 and 15, Block 51, for $1,700. Cash $800.00, balance easy.

Lots 7 and 8, Block 51, for $1,050.00. $550.00 cash, 6, 12 and 18 months.

Lot 1, Block 49, for $650.00. Good terms.

Lots 16 and 17, Block 59, for $1,500. Good terms.

Lots in Rosslyn, close to G. T. R. yards, big size, for only $250.00 each. Cash only $50.00, balance $25.00 every three months.

FARM LAND.

N.W. section 24,55,15 with. for $10.50. Very easy terms.
N.E. quarter 8, 45,15 with M. for $10.50. Very easy terms.
S.E. quarter 8, 52,15 with M. for $2,900.00. Good terms. This farm is close to Vegreville.

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548 First St. 'Phone 2046
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NAMAYO AVENUE.

Two lots in Block 18, R.L. 10, $5000 each.
Lot in Block 11, Norwood, $2400.
Lot in Block 5, Norwood, $2000.
Lot in Block 2, Norwood, $2800.
One lot in Block 8, Norwood, $2000.

INGLEWOOD.

Two lots in Block 6 for $1626.
Lot in Block 52 on 24th St., $1800.
Lot in Block 57, on 24th St., $1800.
Double corner Block 8, on Muskoka, $3250.

GROAT ESTATE.

Lot in Block 30, 24th St., $2500.
Two lots in Block 29, 24th St., $2000 each.
Double corner Block 48, $3500.
One lot in Block 8, $1800.
Keep your eye on 24th St.

WESTMONT.

Double corner in Block 4, $1800.
Three lots in Block 26, $625 each.
Double corner Block 38, $1400.
Three lots in Block 24, $575 each.
Two lots in Block 30, $70. each.

DOMINION PARK.

Seven acres facing on Alberta Avenue; if sold at once, $4500; terms
Listings wanted in West End.
'Phone 3505.

Real Estate—For Sale

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Call and see my list and I will give you reasons why.

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Glenora—Choice double corner in Block 69, $3200; easy terms.

Syndicate Ave.—Nice lot $1600.

New Inglewood—6 lots at $300 each; very easy terms.

Kinistino Ave.—Fine lot, $1475 only.

Kirkness St.—One lot close to Boulevard, $1000.

Westwood—2 lots close to Alberta Avenue, $1000 each.

Jasper Ave.—50 ft. west of Namayo Ave., $675 per foot.

Namayo Ave.—2 lots north of Alberta Ave., $500 each.

List your property with us; We know how to sell it.

THE SETON SMITH CO.
63 McDougall Avenue. Edmonton.
'Phone 1611.

SOME REAL BARGAINS.

$350 each for your choice of several splendid lots in Block 14, Hemmingigs Estate.

$600 for the splendid lots on 30th St. West; these lots are over 200 feet deep. Terms: one-third cash, balance six and twelve months.

$500 each, on easy terms, for several good lots on 30th St.

$400 buys one good lot on 30th St. W. Terms: one-third cash, balance six and twelve months.

$1000 buys three splendid lots on 21th Street, south of Alberta; easy terms.

$3300 for one good lot on Namayo, South of the Boulevard; easy terms.

$150 each for your choice of six fine lots in Dominion Park; easy terms.

THE SETON SMITH CO.,
63 McDougall Ave. 'Phone 1611

E. A. GIBBS,

Real Estate Agent; Agent for Hudson's Bay Company Lands; Agent for Canadian Northern Railway Co., Land; Commissioner for taking Affidavits; Issuer of Marriage Licenses—234 Whyte Ave.
P. O. Box 326 'Phone 3211
Strathcona, Alta.

A great snap in Beau Park. One half block, consisting of eighteen lots, only $5500. All cash.

Two lots in Block 162, Garneau Estate, Price $1100 each. Terms half cash, balance in six and twelve months at 8 per cent.

One double corner, one and one-half block from Jasper Boyle Parlors. One-third cash, balance in six and twelve months at 8 per cent.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF EDMONTON.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN A. BURKHOLDER, late of the City of Seattle, in the State of Washington, one of the United States of America, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said John A. Burkholder, who died on or about the 11th day of July, 1910, are requirred on or before the 17th day of January, 1912, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Messrs. Short, Parlee & Co., of the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Solicitors for the Executrix of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions and full particulars of their claims, statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the Estate of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice; and that the said Executrix will not be liable for the said Estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claims shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution.

Dated at the City of Edmonton this 23rd day of November, 1911.

BOYLE, PARLEE & CO.,
Solicitors for the Executrix.

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ABOUT IT

GROAT

Lots 3 and 4, Block 26, $2000 each; half cash, 6 and 12. On car line.

INGLEWOOD

Lots 2 and 6, Block 21, $1500 each; 1-2 cash.
Lot 4 Block 22, $900; all cash.
Lot 7 Block 17, $950; terms.

EVANSTON

Double corner on Alberta, Block 8, $2550; terms.
Lot 9 Block 8, $775; third cash.

DELTON

Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, $425 each; terms.
Eight lots in Block 4, $425 each; terms.

WEST DELTON

Four lots in Block 2; easy terms.

GLENORA

6 Lot 18 Block 34, $500; terms very easy.

NORWOOD EXTENSION

Lots 8 and 9, Block 4, $1850; terms.

NEW GLENORA

Corner lot 8 Block 114, $3500; terms.

WESTMOUNT

Lots 4, 5 and 6, Block 8, $3500; terms.
Lot C Block 14, $650; terms.

NORWOOD

Lots 4 and 5 Block 40, $5000 each; easy terms.

WANTED—Listings of Norwood, Delton and Inglewood.

J. W. DRABBLE
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A. QUIGLEY & CO.,
228 Whyte Ave. E. Strathcona
'Phone 2210 Residence 'Phone 3382

GARNEAU.

$1000 each 2 lots 4th Ave. North, sewer, water.

$1200 each 2 lots 7th Ave. North.

$2000 87 ft. double corner, 4th Ave North.

$850 1 lot, First Ave. North, sewer and water.

$750 2 lots First Ave. South.

$675 each 4 lots, shack and stable sidewalks, good terms on these.

115 ft. on Saskatchewan Ave., finest view in either city, or will sell 1-2; Price $50 per front foot. This is in the West End.

Choice double corner 81 ft. on Saskatchewan Ave. E., $2,500.

Good pair semi-view lots, $1800.

KING EDWARD PARK.

Block 6, 36 lots, $4000; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.

Block 12, 36 lots, $4500; 1-3 cash, 6 and 12 months.

Lots in Block 20, size 33x162 ft. $200 each.

3 choice lots corner 3rd street East and 2nd Ave. N. $2000.

Double corner on car line 8th Ave North, $2500.

WHYTE AVENUE LOTS.

1 lot Block 61, $13,000; good terms.

1 lot Block 68, $11,500; $100 per month rent.

1 lot Block 67, $12,000; good revenue.

Best corner in city, $30,000; good revenue.

NORTH INGLEWOOD.

5 lots Block 12, Price $650 each; terms.
3 lots Block 36, Price $1600; terms.
4 lots Block 5, Price $750 each; terms.
3 lots Block 11, Price $750 each; terms.

NORWOOD

$500 for Lot in Block 51; terms.
$500 for Lot in Block 51; terms.
Lot in Block 15 on York street, price $75, terms.
Double corner in Block 49, $1050; terms.
Lot in Block 43 with three-roomed house, price $1,000, terms.
Corner of Block 14, price $1,000, easy terms.
Several lots on Boulevard at from $1600 to $2500; terms 1-4 cash, 6 and 12 months.
Large Street—2 lots on this street, Price $525 each; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
$1150 for double corner Block 48; terms.
$1800 for double corner Block 44, with 3-room house and barn; terms.

RIVER LOTS

Short Street—Lot on this street; Price $850; $350 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months.

PARKKDALE

Lot in Block 104, Price $240; terms.
One Lot in Block 109 price $625, $125 cash, balance 6, 12, and 18 months.
Lot in Block 108, price $400 cash.
Double corner on Willow and Kinnaird, Price $900; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
2 Lots in Block 106, Price $375; terms.
Lot in Block 106, with one brick house, Price $2300; terms $300 cash, balance arranged; will trade on vacant property.

NORTH JASPER PLACE.

5 Lots in this subdivision, Price $1000; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
1 Lot in Block 28, Price $625; $50 cash, balance 4, 8 and 12 months.

FRASER AVENUE SPECIAL.

One Lot in Block 3, price $7,000, one-third cash, 6 and 12 months.
One Lot in Block 19, price $2,000 cash

Real Estate—For Sale

McEACHERN BROS.
Real Estate, Mines & Timber,
'Phone 3022 324 Jasper East

WANTED
Listings in H.B.R. North

H. B. R.

We have probably one of the largest list of H.B.R. property in the city and consider it A 1 buying. The following are some of them:

Two Lots in Block 8, $2100.
Lot on Seventh Block 7, $2400.
Lot on Fifth Block 4, $2600.
Lot in Block 12, with shack, $2,000.
Double corner Nelson and 15th, $2500
Double Corner Vermilion and 14th, $4000.
Lot 178 Block 14, $1800.
Lot 182, Block 14, $1750.
Lots 6A, Block 15, $3800.
Two Lots on 14th Street, $2,000 each.
36 feet on 15th South of C.N.R. price $1500, terms 1-3 cash and the balance on the house.
$1150 for Lot 189, Block 12; terms.
$4000 for Lots 140 and 141, Block 14; terms.
$1500 for 75 feet on Nelson and 12th; terms.
$1500 for Lot 167, Block 14; terms.

WESTMOUNT.

Muskoka Ave.—Double corner in Westmount, close to Park St., Price $3000; 1-3 cash, balance easy.

GLENORA

Lot in Block 107, Price $2100; terms.
Lot 16 Block 89, Price $2800; terms.
Two Lots in Block 68, price $700 each terms.
One Lot in Block 58, price $1200; terms.
One Lot in Block 114, price $2500; terms.

SYNDICATE AVE.

Lot in Block 26, Price $1600; terms.
Syndicate Ave.—Double corner in Block 8, Price $6000, on easy terms. This is a snap.

NAMAYO AVE.

Lot in Block 13, Norwood, Price $3000; terms 1-3 cash, 6 and 12.
Namayo Ave.—Lot in Block 8 with good modern house, Price $10,000 good terms.
Lot in Block 2 Norwood Extension, Price $1000; terms 1-2 cash, balance arranged.

GROAT ESTATE

Lot in Block 42, with house, Price $3000; terms.
Double corner on 21st and Stoney Plain Road, Price $5300; terms $2000 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18.
Groat Estate—Lot on 24th St. Block 29, Price $1700; terms.
Groat Estate—Double corner in Block 6; price $2400; terms.

JASPER AVE.

Lot in Block 18, H.B.R., price $15,000 one-third cash 1 and 2 years.
Lot in Block 15, H.B.R., price $20,000 one-third cash balance arranged.

INGLEWOOD

Lot in Block 30, Price $2500; terms 1-3 cash, 6 and 12.
Corner of Block 14, price $1,000 $100 cash, balance over 5 years.

NORTH INGLEWOOD.

5 lots Block 12, Price $650 each; terms.
3 lots Block 36, Price $1600; terms.
4 lots Block 5, Price $750 each; terms.
3 lots Block 11, Price $750 each; terms.

NORWOOD

$500 for Lot in Block 51; terms.
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Lot in Block 15 on York street, price $75, terms.
Double corner in Block 49, $1050; terms.
Lot in Block 43 with three-roomed house, price $1,000, terms.
Corner of Block 14, price $1,000, easy terms.
Several lots on Boulevard at from $1600 to $2500; terms 1-4 cash, 6 and 12 months.
Large Street—2 lots on this street, Price $525 each; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
$1150 for double corner Block 48; terms.
$1800 for double corner Block 44, with 3-room house and barn; terms.

RIVER LOTS

Short Street—Lot on this street; Price $850; $350 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months.

PARKKDALE

Lot in Block 104, Price $240; terms.
One Lot in Block 109 price $625, $125 cash, balance 6, 12, and 18 months.
Lot in Block 108, price $400 cash.
Double corner on Willow and Kinnaird, Price $900; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
2 Lots in Block 106, Price $375; terms.
Lot in Block 106, with one brick house, Price $2300; terms $300 cash, balance arranged; will trade on vacant property.

NORTH JASPER PLACE.

5 Lots in this subdivision, Price $1000; 1-2 cash, 6 and 12 months.
1 Lot in Block 28, Price $625; $50 cash, balance 4, 8 and 12 months.

FRASER AVENUE SPECIAL.

One Lot in Block 3, price $7,000, one-third cash, 6 and 12 months.
One Lot in Block 19, price $2,000 cash

McEACHERN BROS

FOREIGNERS KILLED IN INTERIOR OF CHINA

First Uncensored Reports Received From Sian Fu Tell of Death of Eight Foreigners—8,000 Manchus Were Slain—Constitutional Monarchy Proposed.

Peking, Dec. 8—The first direct and uncensored news received from Sian Fu since the recent outbreak there was brought here today by messenger. It consists of letters to the British and American legations and the director of posts. The bearers say that 8,000 Manchus were slain by Chinese and that there was much looting. Several million houses in the province were destroyed and eight foreigners, some of them children, were killed. Four of the dead were Americans. According to the letters foreigners in the province of Shen Si, of which Sian Fu is the capital, number 275, including seventeen Americans. A majority of these are now in Sian Fu, but others fled to the province of Kan Su, where trouble is expected.

They Are Now Safe.

"We apparently are safe now," said one of the letters, "but the lawless are in the majority. We had hoped to escape down the Min river, but the road is dangerous. The an Su missionaries may have a hard time. Twenty-two of them, including children, are Americans. Money cannot be sent them as all the mails have been stopped and the banks here robbed and burned."

This letter is signed by V. J. Plymire of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, at Tao Chow, province of Kan Su. It is dated November 26.

A Limited Monarchy.

The terms which the imperial delegates will take to Shanghai or Nanking in an endeavor to settle the questions in dispute between the government and the rebels are believed to provide, first, that the emperor shall be retained, though he will be entirely without power; second, that a president and cabinet shall be elected by the nation and the president shall possess the same authority as the president of a republic, and, third, if the foregoing conditions are accepted, the government will grant provincial autonomy.

Rebels Blowing up Railway.

Shanghai, Dec. 8—A telegram received here from Nanking says that General Chang Hsu commander of the imperial troops, who, with a force escaped from the city when the rebels captured it, annihilated a band of rebels who attempted to bar his retreat one hundred miles up the Tien Tsing railway. Farther northward from the scene of this fighting the revolutionists are reported to be blowing up bridges with dynamite.

Wu Ting Fang professed ignorance of the decision of the rebels at Wu Chang to accept a constitutional monarchy with Yuan Shi Kai, or some other satisfactory Chinese as a ruler under a constitution and parliament. He declares that no negotiations conducted at Wu Chang can be regarded as official.

review of chinese

Canton, China, Dec. 9—The revolution long expected and long in preparation has come. Foreign residents had become so accustomed to reports of conspiracies and anti-imperialist movements that even they were amazed when the rising took place in great force and under trained leadership.

The driving motives of the insurrection are economic quite as much as political. The impoverishment of the Chinese is probably far greater than it was a generation ago. The people have been more harried by the tax collectors even during the last ten years than they were previous to the Boxer uprising. The pressure of the imperial government and the provincial pro-consuls for money has crushed the mass of the people until their misery has afforded the revolutionary agitators a convincing argument that the time has come to turn out the Manchus and create if possible a liberal and more compassionate government.

Insurgent Leaders Confident.

The extreme weakness of the central government, a weakness that has been more marked since 1900 than before in this generation, gave the insurgent leaders confidence that they would be able to make headway against any force that the imperialists might send against them. The Chinaman loves the secret society. Communal feelings, the necessity of the individual being supported by his fellows, has been utilized by the revolutionaries to the utmost. The revolutionary secret societies extending throughout southern China probably include a membership of several millions, the control of them centralizing in a small group of able men.

The political poster and leaflet has been largely the means of preparing the mass of people for the change. The work of the secret societies has been directed to circulating single sheet pamphlets or pasting up little inflammatory posters, discrediting the army, narrating specific instances of the ruthlessness of the Manchu tax gatherer, the neglect of the people by those who assumed to be paternal benefactors, the weakness of the Peking government and a hundred other allegations undermining the fear and the respect of the people for their despotic rulers.

To Follow Japan's Example.

A singular feature has been the attitude of the student class. Those educated abroad have been largely instructed in Japan. They seek to follow in the footsteps of new Japan, which succeeded in ridding the country of foreign intervention and in becoming a great power within the term of an ordinary life.

Thousands of these bright men and energetic youths are scattered throughout the country preaching the doctrine that China is cursed by the weakness of its own government, yielding to the foreigners and that help, progress and security can only come by upsetting the existing order and organizing upon the principle of China for the Chinese. Strangely, also, these agitators, including all those educated in Japan, are furiously anti-Japanese.

The correspondent will not endeavor to predict the result of the present far-reaching insurrection. It seems likely to succeed, but the foreign observers have a profound distrust of the present capacity of the Chinese for republican institutions in the western sense. Should the revolution succeed the government will probably be a military dictatorship in which perhaps some able and just individuality will be in command. The revolutionary appears to have many leaders truly patriotic and with aims beyond the passion of piling up private fortunes out of the "squeeze" common under the present Manchu government.

Japan Watching Revolution.

Mukden, Manchuria, Dec. 9—Japan watches the development of the revolution in southern China with absorbed attention. The results of civil war in China must, within the view of authoritative observers here, have a profound influence on every Asiatic power and upon Japan most of all. Japanese statesmanship in its relations to the Asiatic mainland must have always in mind that there alone can Japanese expansion take place without coming into collision with a European or an American power.

The Japanese press and the Japanese government have apparently accepted the fact that the white races bar the way to colonization in Australia, Canada, United States and in Asia beyond the confines of China.

One need not reach a conclusion now as to whether Japan would have given up the railway and southern Manchuria to China upon the expiration of the railway lease. Certainly the disorder in southern China and the extreme weakness of the imperial government at Peking cause responsible Japanese officials to feel that southern Manchuria is more than ever Japanese.

Declares His Independence.

The viceroy of Manchuria has declared his independence. Immediately following that announcement the Yokohama Special bank, a Japanese government institution, has loaned the viceroy several million dollars. The foreign observers here consider this loan as guaranteed by a political mortgage upon southern Manchuria. Now, the Japanese vested rights in Manchuria is considered to run until such a time as the provincial government of Manchuria can repay this loan. It is understood that the independent Chinese government of Manchuria proceeds under Japanese advice.

The sectional rivalry between northerner and southerner is such that the southern revolutionary chiefs appear to care very little for what becomes of Manchuria, so long as that it is understood that in the event of a strong republic or dictatorship being established by the insurgents, the new government would not come into serious collision with either Japan or Russia over what either country might do in Manchuria or in Northwestern China.

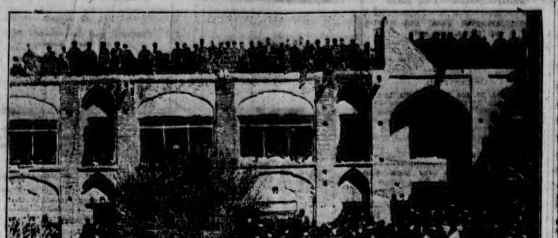
Not Disposed to Interfere.

Although Japanese statesmanship will probably avail itself of every opportunity created by the changing governmental conditions in the Chinese empire, yet, there appears to be no disposition to add to the difficulties or to intervene in any manner beyond the borders of Manchuria.

The aim of Japanese policy seems now as before the outbreak of the revolution to be in the direction of encouraging an efficient government in the Chinese empire and the development of the splendid resources lying unused. Japan needs time to consolidate her interests in Corea and in Manchuria. Her geographical nearness to the Chinese markets and the skill in special knowledge of Japanese traders make the Japanese confident that they will obtain a large share of the advantages of high economic development of the Chinese people without further territorial extension.

Moose Jaw's Population 20,623

Moose Jaw, Sask., Dec. 9—Moose Jaw's population is 20,623. These are the figures officially given out by the board of trade. The census was taken on November 14th, since when a large staff has been making exhaustive scrutiny and a complete card index. The result of this extra work is that the city can now claim perhaps the fullest and most detailed census yet taken in the west, with every name individually vouched for.



PERSIAN'S PARLIAMENT BUILDING—In this building in Teheran, Persia's Parliament, the National Council decided to stand by their Swedish Treasurer-General, W. Morgan Shuster, and rejected Russia's demand for his dismissal—As a result the Russian armies are now advancing on this very building and expect to install the Russian provisional government there in a few days, if the place is not blown to pieces by their shrapnel, before Teheran is Taken—Copyright by Underwood.

RUSSIA SEEKS SATISFACTION.

Paris, Dec. 9—The Paris Temps today prints an interesting interview with the Russian foreign minister, M. Saxonoff, whose visit here is regarded by the French press as a kindly reaffirmation of the Russo-Franco entente. After saying that the European situation in his opinion was not serious, M. Sazanoff declared that Russia's demonstration of good will toward Persia had not been reciprocated, and that Russia had been obliged to ask for complete satisfaction. It was not the intention of the Russian government to permit the national dignity or commercial interests of the country to be compromised. M. Sazanoff denied that Russia had yet officially proposed the question of the opening of the Dardanelles to Russian warships. In conclusion, he referred to the unity and solidity of the triple entente declaring that his country's alliance with France continue to be the basis of Russia's foreign policy.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC RECURRENCE FEARED

Medical Health Officer Whitelaw Draws Attention to Fact that there Are at Present 68 Cases in the City —Eight Deaths Occurred Here in November.

Grave danger of a recurrence of the typhoid fever epidemic that prevailed in Edmonton during the fall months is pointed out in the monthly report of Dr. T. H. Whitelaw, city health officer. He says that the seriousness of the disease is indicated by the fact that six deaths occurred in November. An equal number of smallpox cases in the city, he declares, would cause almost a panic, though it is now rare to hear of a death from smallpox. Under the head of infectious disease, Dr. Whitelaw refers to typhoid fever in the following terms:

"Apart from typhoid fever, the city is at present remarkably free from infectious disease. Of a total of 68, the city cases numbered 48, and 20 were from the outside. There were 27 typhoid fever cases, or more than half of the total. Of these 24 are city cases and 13 are known to have contracted the disease outside. Worthy of remark is the large percentage of children attacked, 12 of the 24 city cases being under 13 years of age, and the fact that a great many of the cases occurred in families as a result of contact with a previous case in the same house. Personal contact, therefore, may be given as the direct cause of infection in many of the cases.

Seriousness of the Disease.

"The seriousness of the disease is indicated by the fact that six deaths have occurred during the month. The presence for an equal number of smallpox cases in our city would cause almost a panic, though it is now rare to hear of a death from smallpox. The indifference of the public, therefore, to the presence of typhoid fever, which kills at least one in ten, is lamentable, and to this indifference and carelessness is attributable to a large extent the prevalence of this preventable disease. Unless the indifferent support the health department gets even from intelligent people, in endeavoring to improve the sanitary conditions of our city, by insisting on a rigid enforcement of the water and sewer installation. A large percentage of the city cases the last month have been from the Fraser and Ross Flats, where it is evident the householders who have no water installation cannot secure a proper service from the water wagons. As a consequence, many of them derive their drinking water from wells and springs, all of which are doubtful and liable to be contaminated.

"It seems useless to issue warnings from the department, which in many cases are disregarded. Some measures must be taken to see that facilities are provided, so that the city water can be readily secured, and that all these doubtful sources of water are absolutely eliminated. I would recommend that stand-pipes be installed on these flats, so that the water men could fill their tanks without coming up the hill, for the supply of these householders until such time as water and sewer installation can be secured for all.

Many Pupils Vaccinated.

"Thirty-four pupils of the schools have been vaccinated during the month, besides a number of persons exposed to smallpox, none of whom contracted the disease. Of this disease, six cases occurred, only one of which had ever undergone vaccination. This party had been vaccinated in infancy, and as a result had the disease in so mild a degree that he only required detention a few days. Three of these were due to contact with the first case, which was not diagnosed by his physician and therefore not reported. The other two contracted the disease before coming to the city. One of the city cases was a street car motorman, and as a result nearly all the employes of the street railway department, who were not protected to a greater or lesser extent by vaccination, submitted to the operation. It is desirable that in future all such employees of the city, whose duties necessarily bring them into close contact with the travelling public, should be required to produce a certificate of vaccination."

T. H. WHITELAW.

The report also shows that towards the end of last month the new nurses' home was near enough to completion to enable the staff to transfer their sleeping quarters. The accommodation for the nurses is very satisfactory. The suspect wards will be reserved for any doubtful cases or cases of double infection. The repairs to the Isolation Hospital have been completed.

Vital Statistics.

The number of births reported in Edmonton for the month was 44, marriages 56 and deaths 37. Of the deaths five, although registered here, occurred out of town, and four who came to the city for treatment died in the hospitals, so that the actual number of deaths among residents of Edmonton was only 28.

Sanitary Report.

The report of sanitary work in the health department states that a large portion of the past month was devoted to the compiling of a list of premises not connected with sewer and water mains. There were 15 complaints received from the public during the month, and the number of notices issued for the abatement of nuisances was 134. The number of ash can notices was 61, and tents inspected 5.

PERSIA PINS HER FAITH TO SHUSTER.

Paris, Dec. 9—In an interview received here from a special correspondent in Teheran, C. H. Morgan Shuster, the Persian treasurer general, is said to have declared that if the national assembly should indicate such a desire or the powers which demanded his dismissal can show any substantial advantage which would accrue to Persia by his departure, he is ready to go. The correspondent says the general belief in Teheran is that if Mr. Shuster goes, Persia will go with him.

LETTERS TO SANTA FROM LITTLE TOTS

United Aids are Arranging to Bring Christmas Cheer Into the Homes of Some of the Less Fortunate of the Residents of the City—One Little Chap Wants an "Auto What Winds Up."

Yule-tide, the happiest season of the year to most, is approaching. It is the time of "Peace and good will," when the best in human nature asserts itself, and the happiness of friends is an important consideration. The "hatchet is buried," and little family quarrels with more serious differences of opinion are buried in the "milk of human kindness" which floods the earth at this time.

The yule log flickering merrily, the plum pudding burning brightly, the children happy with their toys and playing "snap dragon," make such a happy domestic picture that when the individual has completed his efforts to obtain this result he is more than likely to say: "I have done my duty."

But what of the poor, homeless little ones whose childish hopes and dreams are centred about a Christmas tree, and who depend on Santa Claus to remember them. Where are they to go?

The United Aids are taking the matter up, their object being to provide as many happy Christmases this year as possible for the foundlings and jetsam of humanity, but to do this they need "practical" assistance. Already they have received $195.15 without any special effort.

The folowing are some of the letters which are written to Santa Claus by the little ones and received at the United Aids:—

Dear Santa Claus,—I wish I could get a doll and a set of dishes. My father, he died, and I can't get anything, because my mother has not any money to buy any toys. So I wish to get something for Christmas. Goodbye; good-bye."

The writer lives on Short street.

Another pathetic little note runs thus:—

Dear Santa Claus,—I am writing to you tonight. I and my brother are little orphans. Our papa has gone to heaven and left us alone. Mamma has to leave us alone all day and work hard. She has no money to buy us anything. Please send me a big, big engine and a team of horses and a wagon so that I can hitch up the horses to the wagon. My brother, he wants a fire wagon and a man and a house. I hope it is not too much.

Namayo Ave.

Another note:—

Dear Santa Claus,—Please would you send me a little automobile what winds up. I am ten years old and I have two sisters and three brothers with myself. Thanking you very much and wishing you a merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Hudson Bay Reserve.

The ladies intend making a systematic collection in arranged districts and it is hoped that people will live up to their former reputation and respond generously to their demands, remembering that "Mercy is twice blest."

Gold Deposits in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 1—From St. Paul today comes the story that gold deposits have been found in Minneapolis, and St. Paul, and that three real estate men from down river city have obtained options on more than one thousand acres of land on which they say they are confident there are gold deposits. The real estate men declare they have obtained options on some land and show statements from consulting engineers that sample of sandstone sent from Minneapolis and St. Paul contain gold in small quantities.

CANADIAN EXHIBITORS HAVE WON MANY PRIZES

Live Stock From This Country And the States Southwest of Illinois Sweep the Boards at Chicago, Except in Swine Classes.

Chicago, Dec. 8—The Canadian exhibits of live stock and the exhibits from the states southwest of Illinois have not been varied in the different kinds of stock, but that which has been shown here at the International Live Stock Exposition this year, has taken many prizes. The Canadians have won all above some prizes than have the individual sheep breeders of the states. On the first day of the show, they have continued their record.

John Lee and Sons, of Highgate, Ontario, received four first prizes and seven silvers on Lincoln sheep, besides being declared the owners of the champion ram, two years old, and the champion yearling ewe of that breed. Peter Arkell and Son, of Teeswater, Ontario, drew four prizes for his Oxford sheep and L. Parkinson, of Guelph, also obtained four on Lincolns.

C. E. Y. Clarke, of Minnesota, has been the principal winner from that state and today he competed with breeding Galloway cattle and won four prizes to add to his already large list of ribbons for fine stock from his farm at St. Cloud.

Lost Leadership in Swine.

Canada today lost its leadership in the swine classes. The grand champion of all the swine classes was won by the entry of J. W. Brendel, of Zionsville, Indiana, and the grand champion pen went to the Iowa state college.

In the Galloway cattle judging, C. S. Hetchner, of Carlton, Iowa, won first prize. C. A. Steward, of Fox, Ill., got the majority of Herefords prizes, including those of the Grand Champion board and cow.

Has Not Proven Baconian Theory

London, Dec. 8—Dr. Orville Ward, of Detroit, who early in the year conducted excavating in the River Wye for manuscripts which he believed would establish that Bacon was the author of the Shakespeare plays, later abandoning them, will sail for America tomorrow. He says that he will find the boxes containing Bacon's library if he has to return to England every year for the next forty years.

Persia is Ready to Negotiate.

London, Dec. 8—Despatches from Teheran say Persia is ready to enter into friendly negotiations with Russia with regard to the mater in Russia's recent ultimatum. Persia, however, is unable to comply with the Russian demand that future appointments of foreign advisers in Persia be referred to Great Britain and Russia.

Old Country Live Stock.

Liverpool, Dec. 9—John Rogers and Company, Liverpool, cabled today that the general conditions of things in the Birkenhead markets were the same as last cabled and last week's prices, which were—States steers from 13 1-2 to 14 1-4 cents. Canadian, 13 1-4 to 14 cents, and ranchers 12 1-2 to 13 1-2 cents per pound were unaltered.

HOUSE WILL ADJOURN TILL THE NEW YEAR

Amount of Business to be Transacted so Great that Work of Legislature Can Not be Finished Before Christmas.

The first week of the session of the legislature has made it evident that the business to be transacted can not, without minculous despatch, be completed before Christmas. So much work has piled up before the House that even with continuous night sessions from Monday next till Christmas eve it could scarcely be disposed of in full. The probability is that at the end of next week, or on Friday, December 15th, the government will move for adjournment until after the New Year.

Members of the legislature are just beginning to realize the extent of the work they have before them. Two of the government bills, that respecting rural municipalities and that respecting towns, are of such length, that each of them will likely occupy the attention of the House in committee of the whole for two hours a day for a week. Judging from the obstructive attitude already adopted by the opposition, the reading of these bills may take up even more time. And these are only two of a number of important bills the government has brought before the House, though by far the longest. There are in addition an unusually large number of private bills.

Premier Sifton stated this morning that the Province made by the House next week would determine whether or not adjournment should be made at the end of the week. If it is then apparent that the work of the session cannot be concluded before Christmas, adjournment will be made till early in January.

To Improve Relations With W. Indies

Ottawa, Dec. 9—Negotiations between the Dominion government through Hon. Geo. E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, and the West Indies, looking to better trade relations, it is stated, have reached the stage where it is probable that a conference will be held. It is quite likely that during January or February, or after the session is over, a conference will take place, probably in Ottawa, on the subject and efforts will be made to arrive at a reciprocal agreement which will be of advantage to both countries. When such a conference is held the question of better steamship communication between Canada and the West Indies will also be considered.

Fanatic Has Nothing to Say.

Portland, Me., Dec. 8—Without representation by counsel and with never a move to cross question a witness, the Rev. Frank Sandford, leader of the "Holy Ghost and U. S." Society of Shiloch, sat quietly in the U.S. court today and listened to the testimony presented in support of the charges that he was responsible for the deaths of six members of his party during the recent deep sea cruise on the yacht Coronet.

HE SAYS THOUSANDS OF LIVES ARE ENDANGERED

Captain Mueller, Dominion Government Compass Adjuster, Declares That Navigation On Great Lakes Is Dangerous Because Laws Are Not Properly Enforced

Montreal, Dec. 8—"The lives of thousands of passengers are being endangered yearly, not as much by defects in our navigation laws as by reason that laws are not enforced. I sometimes wonder how many passengers there would be on the Great Lakes and on our inland waters generally, if only they had the least idea of the risks they run."

This statement was made by Captain Charles Mueller, compass adjuster and marine surveyor to the Dominion Government today in discussing the finding of the wreck commissioner recently in relation to the stranding of the Canadian Lake Lines steamer Corunna last summer. In this particular case it was stated by the officers of the vessel, that the vessel went aground owing to the fact that when lying at a wharf in Montreal previous to the voyage on which she stranded, she was struck by an adjoining steamer, the impact destroying the accuracy of the compass.

Captain Mueller stated that the law required that a second compass be carried by all vessels, but that the law was not enforced. In his opinion owners in many cases would promptly supercede a certain captain who insisted on the extra expenditure. In cases where a second compass was carried, it was generally stored away and never referred to unless it was lost.

Look out men, according to Captain Mueller, are habitually careless and seldom make reports on Hehts or on other matters that do not seem to them of much importance. The reason, according to Captain Mueller that the law is not enforced is that there are too few inspectors and consequently the Canadian system is defective and compares most unfavorably with that of the United States. Captain Mueller intends going to Ottawa to lay the matter before the authorities.

WEEK'S BANK CLEARINGS

Enormous Increases in Precicnly All The Centres.

Toronto, Dec. 8—The bank clearings in the principal Canadian cities for the week ending Thursday are as follows:

Montreal	57,745,468	45,313,911
Toronto	42,349,042	37,358,408
Winnipeg	32,706,217	25,619,148
Vancouver	12,274,517	10,452,310
Ottawa	4,541,135	4,096,246
Calgary	5,706,963	3,858,141
Victoria	2,767,419	2,364,290
Quebec	3,068,913	2,952,016
Hamilton	3,192,819	2,267,107
Halifax	2,266,567	1,742,365
St. John	1,645,589	1,770,671
Edmonton	3,432,745	1,794,200
London	1,825,172	1,712,564
Regina	2,305,228	1,520,718
Brandon	841,810	809,931
Lethbridge	741,021	612,677
Saskatoon	2,215,181	1,035,569
Total	185,384,824	143,554,484
Brantford	455,474	
Moose Jaw	1,404,831	
Port William	727,917	

HIS WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN ASPHYXIATED

Family of Young Englishman Burned to Death in Home in Quebec—Husband and Father at Work When the Fire Occurred.

Quebec, Dec. 8—With the four members of his family lying dead in a vacant home in Champlain street, Thomas Jones, an Englishman, out from the old country only about four years, this evening is as a man in a daze. He has hardly yet come to a full realization of the tragic event which this morning robbed him of his wife and three children. Leaving his home as usual for his work on one of the government boats, he received within a brief period after the appalling news that his house was on fire, and that his family had been asphyxiated by smoke and terribly mutilated by the cruel blazes. The victims were Mrs. Thomas Jones, aged 26 years, Chas. Jones, aged 5 years, Alfred Jones, 4 years, baby Jones, aged 2 months.

FOOD PRICES STILL SOARING IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ills., Dec. 8.—Prices of food stuff are soaring up with a rush. The prices quoted today were: Eggs, 48 cents a dozen; butter, 42 cents a pound; spring chickens, 14½ cents a pound; turkey, 22 cents a pound. The price of eggs is full golf un.

U.S. ARE READY TO KILL THE RUSSIAN TREATY

No Objection Either in Congress or Out of Congress to Enactment Into Law of Abrogation Resolution Because of Russia's Refusal to Honor Passports of U. S. Jewish Residents

New York, Dec. 9—"So far as I know, as chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, there is no objection in congress or out of congress to the enactment into law of the resolution to abrogate the Russian treaty," said Representative William Sulzer tonight in calling attention to the fact that the committee will hold hearings at Washington next Monday on the resolution for the treaty abrogation because of Russia's discrimination in refusing to honor passports held by Jewish residents of the United States.

NEWS OF SPORT

SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS.

FOOTBALL—Scores in the English and Irish soccer leagues—Standing of the leagues—Calgary man says Dundee should be barred from executive meeting.

THE RING—Potts has a fine record—Abe Attell and Johnny Kilbane will fight in Vernon, California—Matt Wells, the dying English Welsh boy, Baldwin twenty rounds in New Orleans.

HOCKEY—Disturbance in Calgary becomes farcical—Y.M.C.A. team will practice in the Thistle rink today—Calgary man says Dundee should be barred from executive meeting.

IN GENERAL—Yachtsmen gather in Chicago—Six-day bicycle race starts in New York—Capital curling rink draws in Alberta Lumber Co. cup competition—Mexicans engage innocent sports.

NEWS AND VIEWS.

Down in Calgary they are excited. Hockey players and hockey fans, team managers and team aspirants, are bursting into the public press under their own names and under assumed names, and without any name. If there were any purpose to be served or any object to be attained by the epistolatory enthusiasm of those concerned the flood of letters to the newspapers would be understandable, and possibly excusable. The sole object of each writer to the public is to tell how much he dislikes somebody else, and to inform that same trusting public how much of a liar and crook and ignorant rascal his own particular enemy happens to be. Inasmuch as each writer has a different subject for abuse, and knows no limit to the extravagance he may heap upon him a dispute which several days ago promised to become serious by reason of its acrimonious nature, has become farcical.

The trouble does not greatly concern Edmonton people, but is interesting through the succession of events from which it started. The question as to the eligibility of Chuck Clarke to play with the C.A.C. drew from that gentleman a letter defending his position. "A Hockey Fan" replied, stating that Chuck had received money from the A.C. last year, and producing a proof of a statement alleged to have been made by Scotty McKenzie, that he was indignant at having to play on a team with men who were paid. Mr. McKenzie denied having made that statement. Steve Clancy again rushed into print with a few nasty remarks about his particular enemy Gravelle, and another "Hockey fan" enquires if Mr. Gravelle did not vote for Deacon's residence motion at the annual meeting. Something is due to happen today.

A lack of reports from the south indicates that there have been no new developments in the 'mutiny' in the hockey ranks. Either the war correspondents are taking a short rest or a short armistice has been agreed upon. It is probable that General Grafftey is preparing his plan of attack for Friday night, and he is too busy to engage in any skirmishes. Scout from the neighborhood of Lethbridge reports that the southern wing is staying with the rebels, no signs of capitulation being evident since the desertion of the recruits strengthened the ranks of the mutineers. The northern forces are standing pat, with the loyal nucleus, if any, it is expected that a contingent from the central division will give them a working majority at the conference on Friday.

Even though hockey is a very uncertain quantity in Calgary the players are not hesitating to arrange games for the championship of Canada. The New Ontariosgh refused to play in Winnipeg and now the Peg team is going to see the Saints, the fall champs, in the Manitoba metropolis.

FOOTBALL

ENGLISH FOOTBALL SCORES.

London, Dec. 9—Following are results of rugby and association football games played today:

First Division.

Aston Villa 1, Preston North End 0.
Blackburn Rovers 2, Everton 1.
Bury 3, Middlesbro 1.
Liverpool 6, Newcastle United 1.
Manchester United 1, Sheffield United 0.
Middlesborough 1, Bradford City 0.
Notts County 3, Bolton Wanderers 2.
Sheffield Wednesday vs Manchester City, postponed.
Sunderland 3, West Bromwich Albion 0.
Tottenham Hotspur 4, Oldham Athletic 0.

Second Division.

Barnsley 1, Notts Forest 0.
Blackpool 1, Bristol City 0.
Bradford 2, Grimsby Town 1.
Derby County 5, Leicester Fosse 0.
Fulham 3, Gainsborough Trinity 1.
Glossop 3, Clapton Orient 3.
Huddersfield Town 3, Birmingham 2.
Hull City 1, Chelsea 0.
Lewis City 5, Burnley 1.
Nottingham County 1, Wolverhampton Wanderers 2.

Southern League.

Westham United 1, Brighton and Hove Albion 0.
Millwall Athletic 3, Stoke 1.
Queens Park Rangers 4, Coventry City 0.
Brentford 2, Leyton 0.
Exeter City 1, Norwich City 0.
New Brompton 1, Crystal Palace 1.
Walford 0, Southampton 0.
Reading 1, Plymouth Argyle 1.
Bristol Rovers 0, Northampton 0.
Swindon Town 4, Luton 2.

Rugby Scores.

London Welsh 14, United Services 13.
Blackheath 6, Harlequins 3.
London Scottish 28, London Hospital 0.

Scottish League.

Partick Thistle 1, Aberdeen 1.
Motherwell 0, Airdrieonians 0.
Queens Park 1, Celtic 1.
Clyde 3, Hamilton Academicals 0.
Dundee 1, Falkirk 1.
Hibernians 0, Hearts of Midlothian 4
Kilmarnock 0, Third Lanark 0.
Greenock Morton 0, Raith Rovers 1.
Paisley St. Mirren 1, Glasgow Rangers 3.

IRISH LEAGUE SCORES.

Distillery 3, Derry City 1.
Linfield 2, Belfast Celtic 2.
Glentoran 1, Glentoran 3.
Cliftonville 1, Shelbourne 0.

ENGLISH LEAGUE STANDINGS.

FIRST DIVISION

	Pl.	W.	L.	Dr.	For	Agst	Pts.
Newcastle United	15	10	3	2	28	16	22
Blackburn Rovers	15	9	3	3	24	15	21
Middlesborough	14	8	3	3	21	15	19
Bolton Wanderers	15	7	4	4	27	21	18
Tottenham Hotspur	15	7	4	4	27	22	18
Sunderland	16	6	4	6	25	23	16
Manchester United	16	6	4	6	23	21	16
Aston Villa	15	6	5	3	18	16	15
Notts County	14	6	5	3	18	17	15
Everton	15	6	5	4	22	20	16
Preston North End	14	6	5	3	16	20	14
Woolwich Arsenal	14	6	5	3	16	20	14
Oldham Athletic	14	5	7	2	20	22	12
Sheffield United	14	4	7	3	21	19	11
Sheffield Wednesday	14	4	7	3	19	21	11
Liverpool	16	5	8	3	21	16	10
Manchester City	14	4	8	2	14	21	10
Bury	14	2	7	5	12	19	7

SECOND DIVISION.

	Pl.	W.	L.	Dr.	For	Agst	Pts.
Burnley	15	9	3	3	25	21	21
Wolverhampton	15	8	3	4	26	12	20
Hull City	15	8	2	5	24	17	20
Barnsley	15	8	3	4	21	14	20
Chelsea	15	6	4	5	24	13	18
Notts Forest	15	6	4	5	18	13	18
Derby County	15	6	4	5	23	10	18
Clapton Orient	14	6	4	4	20	15	17
Bradford	15	6	5	4	17	14	16
Grimsby	14	6	5	3	17	17	15
Huddersfield	15	6	5	4	17	17	16
Fulham	14	6	5	3	27	21	15
Blackpool	14	6	6	2	14	18	14
Leicester	15	5	6	4	21	24	14
Bristol City	15	5	8	2	14	26	11
Leeds	15	4	8	3	18	23	11
Birmingham	15	3	9	3	18	29	9
Stockport	13	2	7	4	10	16	7
Gainsborough	14	2	9	3	11	24	7
Glossop	12	2	7	3	8	23	5

HOCKEY

INNOCENT SPORTS.

San Angelo, Tex., Dec. 10—Six Mexicans engaged in a pitched battle on the banks of the Pecos River southwest of here yesterday after a dispute concerning their sports as regular Indians, two being killed and a third so badly wounded the survivors believed he was dead.

The three bodies were thrown into the river. The wounded man revived, crawled to the bank of the stream, where he was found and told his story. Two arrests were made.

WOULD SHUT DEACON OUT.

The alleged sport writer on the Calgary Herald suggests that as Deacon is the manager of the Edmonton club as well as vice-president of the hockey league, and a member of the executive, he should not be allowed to attend the meeting of the league executive on Friday night.

Y. M. WILL PRACTISE.

The Y.M.C.A.' hockey team will hold a practice in the Thistle rink tonight from ten to eleven o'clock. Every player trying for a place on the team should be out to this practise.

ICE WILL BOTHER THEM.

Vancouver, Dec. 10—Harold Smith, one of Victoria's ice hockey players, predicts that many of the Easterners coming to the coast will experience some difficulty getting down to their usual style of play on the ice in Vancouver and Victoria. For this reason they will need all the practice they can get before the season opens.

His assertion is based on the fact that the majority of the players are not accustomed to artificial ice, which is different from the natural product in many respects. For one thing it is much faster, and it is said it will hamper the skating of the players for a time, but will render them liable to accurate passes, again the artificial ice is always of the same consistency, whereas the natural ice is soft, hard or slippery, according to the state of the weather.

Smith recalls the time when the Renfrew team, of which he was a member, played its exhibition games with the Wanderers in New York. It was the first time he and three others of the Renfrew team had skated on artificial ice, and to use his own words he was off and more on than a wooden man. He fell all over himself, and would miss the puck on a perfect several feet. The rubber would flash by like a streak of lightning, bound against the wall and beat him coming back. And three of his team mates were in the same trouble as Smith. The Wanderers, on the other hand, were all experienced artificial ice skaters, and the result was that they piled up a score of 44 to 4 on their opponents. However, the score on the following night, 8 to 3 for the Wanderers, shows how quickly the players can adapt themselves to the changed conditions.

In Smith's opinion there isn't a faster game in the world than ice hockey. It is faster and more spectacular than rugby or lacrosse, and is a fast game, but hasn't got a look in with ice hockey. The players are going all the time from the opening to the final gong; there is absolutely no chance to rag. The pre-season practise in the Thistle rink is a fact that the centre of the play is always under the eyes of all the spectators.

IN GENERAL.

TO STANDARDIZE LACROSSE.

To have a national game without a standard of playing rules is a fact of dubious position that Canada occupies, now that the professional promoters of Montreal and Toronto have drawn into the limelight with the inauguration of the Dominion lacrosse league and the adoption of a shorter field and a reduction of the number of players.

It is talking to the wind to try to hold, but that it is one that will call forth the gaffes of all slaty natures goes without saying. It is ridiculous enough beyond doubt, and but emphasizes the necessity of a commission to regulate the sport and free it from its eternal disgrace that is so apt to be undermining the game in the mad race for the dollars and cents, which seem to be the only thing in point the promoters have in view. There is no objection to the changes in the game for the betterment of the play, such as penalties, registration of players, and other like measures, but the idea of different matter when the money just provides any other consideration and juggles with a national pastime to make it suit the alms and pockets of a small coterie of commercial hangers-on.

If we are to have lacrosse as a national pastime, let us have one set of rules from coast to coast, and then make it impossible for any organized body to follow any but the governing laws laid down by the commission. To any association which declines to fall into accord with the standard rules the side flogs, but rather barren one of outlawry, is made open. There is no question but the amateur bodies throughout the country will stick firmly to the old traditions of the game with twelve men comprising a team, and it but remains for the Nationals lacrosse union and the British Columbia body to get together and place the new issues in the outlaw class. This action may not bring about the downfall of the mushroom association during the athletic life time on present players, but the men who guide the destinies of the new body will find difficulty in obtaining recruits when the present crop of players has gone to seed. And that time is not far distant, as the majority of the men who are to fill positions on the field in the Dominion league are getting old.—Manitoba Free Press.

SIX-DAY RACE STARTS.

New York, Dec. 10—Fifteen teams, including thar bike riders of seven countries, were in readiness to start tonight in Madison Square Garden on a grind for six days or 142 hours to be exact.

There are seventeen Eastern riders in the regular line-up, and four from San Francisco. A complicating omission in the entries is the name of Walter Rutt the German sprinter.

Jackie Clark, the Australian little bolder, will be paired with Joe Fogler of Brooklyn. While the three teams mentioned are conspicuous, every man in the contest boasts great speed and endurance and the upset which are possible in such a long contest, prohibit much picking at favorites.

The full list of starters is as follows:

1—Willie Lorenz, Germany, and Karl Sandow, Germany.
2—Leon Georget, France, and Maurice Brocco, Italy.
3—Octave Lapize, France, and Cyril Van Houwaert, Belgium.
4—Frank Kramer, East Orange, N. J., and James Moran, Chelsea, Mass.
5—Joe Fogler, Brooklyn, and Jackie Clark, Australia.
6—Scott Root, New York, and Fred Hill, Boston.
7—William (Peddy) Palmer, Australia, and Fred (Jumbo) Wells, New Zealand.
8—E. A. Pye, Australia, and Hardy Collins, Boston.
9—Alfred Haltster, San Francisco, and Pete Deroback, Boston.
10—John Bedell, Lynbrook, L. I., and Monte Bedell, Lynbrook, L. I.
11—"Grassy" Ryan, Newark, N. J., and Frank Cavanaugh, Newark, N. J.
12—Jack Cameron, New York, and Jake Magin, Newark, N. J.
13—Frank Faitem, New York, and Geo. Wiley, Syracuse.
14—Lloyd Thomas, San Francisco, and Chas. Stein, Brooklyn.
15—Walter Demaré, San Francisco, and Percy O. Lawrence, San Francisco.

The contest concludes at 10 o'clock Saturday night.

WILL CHANGE RULES.

Chicago, Dec. 10—The elimination of what is deemed antiquated rules in the baseball code will be one of the suggestions to President Murphy of the Chicago National league club at the meeting in New York this week. Murphy will appoint a committee to take the purpose of going through the present code and weeding out the clauses so obvious as to be dead issues and which are not enforced by the umpires.

He proposes to ask that a committee composed of four managers, one each of the big leagues, and three baseball writers well versed in the present code of baseball, be appointed for this purpose.

According to Murphy, the league managers will be given a voice in the matter. Murphy says he believes it is the fault of the club owners that the code has not kept pace with the game. Commenting on the proposed change Umpire Hank O'Day says:

"It is impossible for an umpire to enforce every rule as now laid down, and hence if they are not followed they should be stricken from the rules."

THREE WEEKS' RACING.

Ottawa, Dec. 6—Ottawa will have at least three weeks racing next winter. The Ottawa Driving Club has claimed January 13 to 16th as dates for its inaugural meet at Lansdowne Park, and from January 18th to 24th the Hull Club will hold its meet on the Ottawa river. The latter is now comere to the circle and are offering $20,000 in purses. This afternoon it was announced that the Central Canada ice racing association would assign to Ottawa the running of its meet starting the first Thursday in February, and closing the following Wednesday. The Central Canada Association will offer $12,000 in prizes.

RACING MAN DIES.

Chicago, Dec. 10—Cyrus Ross Jaynes, known to the racing world as "Cy" Jaynes, the "Old Soldier", is dead at his home here. Mr. J. Jaynes had been a familiar figure in the sporting world for the past thirty years. In the days of the Garfield Park Race track he owned a stable of horses. He had accumulated a fortune, but at the time of his death it is said was dependent on a small pension from the government. Mr. Jaynes was a veteran of the Civil War and was several times wounded while in the service. He was a prisoner in Libby, Andersonville, and two other southern prisons. He was seventy years old.

CAPITAL RINK DRAWS.

The draws at the Capital curling rink for Monday and Tuesday nights in the Alberta Lumber Co. cup trophy competition, are as follows:

Monday

Simpson vs O. C. Gillespie.
Morris vs Turnbull.
John Gillespie vs Thompson.

Tuesday

D. S. MacKenzie vs Edwards.
Fraser vs Dr. Dunn.
Reid vs Henwood.

YACHTSMEN MEET IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 8—More than 200 yachtsmen who sculled on the Great Lakes, will assemble in Chicago today for the annual meeting of the Yacht Racing Union of the Great Lakes and the Lake Michigan Yacht Racing Delegate from Canada, Detroit, Rochester, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Duluth and Chicago will attend to arbitrate, and consider rule changes.

BUILDING LINE TO KAMLOOPS

Vancouver, Dec. 8—W. M. McLeod, construction company, and Welch the contractors have not yet been completed, indications are that it will far exceed the October expenditure which amounted to over $450,000.

The railway officials here expect that by next spring there will be employment for 15,000 men along the grade if that number can be secured.

MONK AND BOURASSA RULING AT OTTAWA

R. S. Muir, of Toronto, Whitney's Opponent in Morrisburg Constituency Tells of Nationalists Domination of Borden Government—Demands the Abolition of Bi-Lingual Schools.

Morrisburg, Dec. 9—R. S. Muir, of Toronto, who is contesting Dundas county against Sir James Whitney, did not, like the premier, leave the county after the nomination. He is staying in the constituency, holding meetings, and last night he addressed a large gathering in the music hall, Morrisburg.

He denied the report that at the nomination meeting he had withdrawn the statement that Monk and Bourassa were dominating the Borden government. That statement raised a storm in the meeting, and there was loud cries of "take it back," but he had taken nothing back. At the meeting last night Mr. Muir repeated, amid applause, that Monk and Bourassa were running things at Ottawa. Mr. Muir also won applause when demanding the restoration of model schools and the abolition of bi-lingual schools.

INDIAN PRIVY COUNCIL MAY BE BOOM GRANTED

Speculation Exists as to Announcement to be Made at Durbar—Fact Linked with Indian Princes—Jealousy as to Precedence is Avoided by Arrangement.

New York, N.Y., Dec. 9—Wm. Maxwell, the Daily Mail correspondent, now at Delhi, describes the pretty quibbling between the rival Indian princes and the tactful manner in which they have been treated. He says the King-Emperor yesterday received the ruling princes. Each prince drove to the Imperial camp with an escort in the order of his precedence. The time was carefully allotted, to avoid even the appearance of social favor, so jealous are the Indian princes of their claims.

There is an illustration of this in the appointment of the Maharajah of Udaipur as prince-in-waiting. He claims descent from Rami of the Sun, and was unwilling to do homage to a mere upstart ruler. The difficulty was overcome by his appointment to the Royal suite.

Speculation prevails as to the boon which the King-Emperor will announce at the durbar of Tuesday next. It is expected that a readjustment of the Bengal provinces may be announced, with a view of removing Bengal's grievances. Representations for native officers and the creation of an Indian privy council are also suggested. The secret is well guarded, but all anticipate an important political concession.

The Queen is engaged in renewing her acquaintance with Delhi. Yesterday morning she went to the Ku Tab Minet, 11 miles distant, and mounted to the top, which is 238 feet high.

REPORT OF McNAMARA FUND

Indianapolis, Dec. 8—Hoping to dispel doubt and curb criticism of methods used in obtaining and distributing the McNamara defence fund, a report of all money collected and disbursed by the defence will be made public here tonight with the consent of Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, who is custodian of the fund. The total amount received since the fund was started in 1910 of the total expenditures were $184,850.93. No accounting is made of sums received and paid out before that time.

Clarence Darrow, chief counsel for the defence men are now employed in building the grade for the new Transcontinental line between Ashcroft and Kamloops. The labor market just now is enabled to meet all demands though the November disbursements of the company to the Northern Construction company, and Welch the contractors have not yet been completed, indications are that it will far exceed the October expenditure which amounted to over $450,000.

The railway officials here expect that by next spring there will be employment for 15,000 men along the grade if that number can be secured.

ACCUSED OF PROCURING GERMAN NAVAL SECRETS

Reports of Espionage Trial Say That English Ship Broker, Max Schultz, Has Been Forced to Admit Most Incriminating Statements.

Leipsic, Saxony, Dec. 8—Reports which have leaked out regarding the progress of the espionage trial now taking place before the imperial court, in which the English ship broker, Max Schultz, and four German associates, who were arrested at Hamburg on March 13, accused of attempting to procure information regarding German naval secrets, say that it has been established that Schultz is connected with the general organization of the English information bureau.

Schultz, it is said, has been forced to admit the most incriminating testimony. The sentences will be first tomorrow. It is expected that Schultz and two German naval enlisters, who are among his accomplices, will be punished severely.

HON. DR. ROCHE HONORED

Secretary of State Receives Degree From Western University

London, Ont., Dec. 8—Hon.Dr. W. J. Roche, M.P. for Marquette, Secretary of State for Canada, was today honored by the Western University when the degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him. He was the first graduate to receive a degree from the University under the new constitution, and was also the first graduate of the Western Medical College in 1882.

Dr. Roche, in his address, said he was a firm believer in the resources of Canada, and he could see no reason why young Canadian men and women should seek their homes under foreign flags.

He bespoke great support for the Western University in both money and men, and he thought that the Western University might receive aid from the provinces without injuring the other universities of Ontario.

Later, he was entertained by the faculty at the London Club and tonight he was a guest at the dinner given by the students of the college.

Lethbridge Population 10,069.

Lethbridge, Dec. 7—According to the sworn official statement of Chief of Police Gillespie, Lethbridge has a population of 10,069. The census has just been completed and the results are 1024 in excess of the Dominion census taken in June.

INFORMATION WANTED

By Mrs. McDermid, lately from Lindlithgow, Scotland, from or regarding her son, James McDermid. He was working lately on G. T. P. near Edson, Alta. Her address is c/o. Mr. J. A. McKerchar, 466 Main Street, Winnipeg, Man.

AROUND THE CITY

LOCALS

The funeral of Miss Flossie McClure will take place from her late residence, 1194 Seventh street, Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The service will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Hughson.

A siding is being installed from the main line of the G.T.P. to the new shaft of the Great West Coal Company which is situated about three and a half miles west of the Clover Bar station and on top of the river bank. The company expects when full operations are commenced to take out from five to eight hundred tons of coal a day. This will mean considerable to Edmonton, in that it will eliminate for some time to come, all possibility of a coal famine.

Tenders will be opened next Friday for the big paving propaganda which the city of Edmonton will carry out next year. This will amount to over one hundred thousand square yards of paving and an outlay of over three hundred thousand dollars. In addition to this the city commission and administration in general has recommended another 100,000 square yards of paving which will mean a quarter of a million square yards of street improvement for the year 1912 or more than the total amount of paving done in the city up to the present time.

PERSONAL.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Murray left the city for New Orleans, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Geo. H. McLeod, of the firm of Lundy & McLeod, leaves today for the east on business.

MAN DROWNED IN CHIP LAKE.

It is feared that Archie Stewart, who is well-known in this city, has been drowned in Chip Lake. A boat in which he left to go to his homestead has been found empty in the middle of the lake. Every effort was made last week to find the missing man but his friends have given up hope. The Mounted Police at Entwistle are also using every effort to locate Stewart but little hope is entertained that he is still a alive.

YOUNG MEN PLEDGE MONEY.

The Y.M.C.A. meeting Sunday morning was of unusual interest. It was addressed by E. T. Colton of New York, assistant world secretary. Music was furnished by the Norwood quartette. Mr. Colton, who has visited fourteen of the great nations said in part. The non-Christian nations are today pressing us close in business. They are all alive. We have forced upon them our commercial ideals, the proof that their old religion is wrong, and our vices we must give them with this our religion. The Y.M.C.A. goes into this work on the invitation of the missionary community. In practically every land the Y.M.C.A. has made good. The governments of India, Brazil, and Mexico officially recognize and support the work.

He closed with a magnificent peroration urging that today was the time of opportunity.

The Sunday afternoon Bible class pledged itself to give $500 toward the support of a secretary in the foreign field. An Edmonton boy, Mr. McRae, now in the training school, at Springfield, Mass., was mentioned as a possible man. Mr. Colton occupied First Presbyterian church pulpit at night.

NEW ACT TO GOVERN MOTORS IN ALBERTA

Synopsis of the New bill introduced in the Legislature which Will Come Up for Consideration This Week.

Attorney General Mitchell has introduced in the Legislative Assembly a new Automobile Act which is designed to regulate the speed and operation of motor vehicles on all highways in the province, whether within or outside of any city, town or village and to come into force January 1st, 1912. The act is presented as a government bill which was given its first reading on Monday of last week. The bill has since been printed and will come up for a second reading during the present week. It has many interesting features and when passed into law will stringently regulate the speed and operation of automobiles. Every automobile owner, chauffeur and citizen of the province should become familiar with the provisions of the act as the rights of all who use the public highways are affected. While the specific regulations, rates of speed and penalties for infraction of the law as set out in the bill may be changed to some extent by the legislature, the bill as drafted by the attorney general embodies the most approved legislation of the day respecting the speed and operation of motor vehicles on highways.

The Application.

The Motor Vehicles Act, as it is properly designated, applies to automobiles, locomotives, and all other vehicles propelled by any power other than muscular power, excepting traction engines and such motor vehicles as run only upon rails or tracks.

The regulations respecting speed are fairly elastic, governed by the general provisions that no person shall operate a motor vehicle upon a public highway at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic and use of the highway, or so as to endanger or be likely to endanger the life or limb of any person or the safety of any property. Public highway means and includes any public highway or road, street, lane, alley, park, driving or public place within or outside of any city, town or village

Maximum Speed.

The maximum speed on streets running through closely built up portions of cities, towns or villages is placed at 10 miles an hour. The maximum speed on streets through residential districts of cities, towns and villages is made 15 miles an hour, and the maximum speed on streets in other portions than those specified, 20 miles per hour. In turning or approaching a corner of an intersecting street, motor vehicles may not be operated at a speed greater than 6 miles an hour. The rate of speed permissible within the boundaries of a city thus varies from 6 to 20 miles per hour according to locality. It is provided in the act that the municipal councils of any city, town or village may by by-law determine what portions of such city, town or village shall for the purpose of the act be considered as closely built up portions or residential portions respectively.

No speed limit is set for country roads. Upon approaching a bridge, dam, culvert, or steep descent, however, and also intersecting the road a person operating a motor vehicle is required to have the machine under control and operate it at a speed not exceeding six miles an hour and upon approaching a crossing or intersecting highway at a speed not greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic then on the highway and the safety of the public. In difficult places on country roads drivers of motor vehicles are required to stop their machines to allow horses being driven in an opposite direction to pass. Upon approaching a person walking in the roadway, or horses being driven a person operating a motor vehicle must not less than 200 yards from such person slow down to a speed not exceeding six miles an hour.

Must Stop on Signal.

On country roads a person operating a motor vehicle is required at the request or on signal by putting up the hand from a person apparently in danger, riding, leading or driving horse or horses or other draught animals in the same direction, to guide the motor vehicle to the left of the travelled portion of the highway and bring it to an immediate stop, keeping it standing just as long as is necessary to prevent accident and insure the safety of others. If travelling in the opposite direction the vehicle must remain stationary as long as may be reasonable to allow the horse or animal to pass, and it is the prescribed duty of any male driver of a motor vehicle and other male occupants over the age of fifteen years, while approaching or passing any horse or horses or other draught animals which appear badly frightened or upon the request of the person in charge of the animal to give such personal assistance as shall be reasonable.

Drivers Must Turn Out.

Drivers of vehicles drawn by horses are required to turn to the right as soon as practicable when overtaken by a motor vehicle the driver of which desires to pass.

If an accident occurs to any person whether on foot or horseback or in a vehicle, or to any horse or vehicle in charge of any person owing to the presence of any motor vehicle on any public highway, the person in charge of such motor vehicle is required to return to the scene of the accident and give to any person sustaining loss or injury his name and address, and also the name and address of the owner of the motor vehicle, and the registration number of the motor vehicle.

No male person under sixteen years of age and no female person under eighteen years of age may operate motor vehicles on any highway. No person may drive a motor vehicle upon any public highway in a race or on a bet or wager.

Every person owning a motor vehicle at the time of the passing of the act or acquiring one thereafter, is required for every vehicle owned by him to file in the office of the provincial secretary a statement containing his name and address, with a brief description of the vehicle owned by him. A registration fee of $3 in the case of motor cycles and $5 in the case of automobiles is required. Certificates are renewed annually on the payment of the license fee.

Chauffeurs Must Qualify.

Before any application to operate motor vehicles as a chauffer will be granted, the applicant will have been examination as to his qualifications as the provincial secretary may require. For the purpose of conducting this examination the provincial secretary will appoint examiners and cause examinations to be held at convenient points throughout the province and as often as may be necessary. No chauffeur's license will be issued to any person under the age of eighteen years.

In approaching or passing a car of a street railway which has stopped or is about to stop to allow passengers to get on or off, the operator of every motor vehicle is required to slow down, and, if necessary, bring the motor vehicle to a stop and not proceed until the car has started and all passengers who have alighted shall have gotten safely clear of the motor vehicle.

The driver of any motor vehicle upon any public street or highway is required upon meeting or overtaking a funeral procession, to stop the motor vehicle being driven by him and where practicable turn out into an intersecting street or road, until the funeral procession has passed.

Except in the case of these offences, any person violating any of the provisions of the act will be liable on summary conviction before a justice of the peace to a penalty of not more than $50 and costs. Any person neglecting to comply with the regulations respecting number plates, driving a motor vehicle on a bet or wager or failing to return to the scene of an accident caused by the presence of the highway of his motor vehicle, will on summary conviction before a police magistrate or two justices of the peace be liable for the first offence to a fine of $50 and costs or to one week's imprisonment or to both; for the second offence to a fine of $100 and costs or to a month's imprisonment; and for the third offence or any subsequent offence to imprisonment not exceeding six months.

All fines and penalties imposed by the act will enure to the benefit of the municipalities within which the convictions are made, in all cases in which prosecutions have been instituted by or under the municipal authority or by officers appointed by them, and in all other cases such fines and penalties enure to the benefit of the province.

No municipal councils will have power to pass any bylaws overriding or in any way inconsistent with the provisions of the act and all such bylaws in force at the time of the passing of the act become invalid. By the new act Chapter 26 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, intituled "An Act to regulate the speed and operation of motor vehicles on highways," and all amendments thereto are repealed in the new act which comes into force January 31st, 1912.

Big Increase in Toronto Clearings.

Toronto, Dec. 7—The clearings of the Toronto banks as passed through the local clearing house during the past week, including today, totalled $62,949,024. Last week the clearings totalled $57,552,171, during the corresponding week last year $37,558,463, and $32,758,647 during the similar week of 1909.

NEW MONARCH THEATRE

The theatre amusement company, incorporated in Calgary, announces that their new theatre at the corner of First street and Jasper avenue, will probably open on Tuesday, December 12. In a fully fire-proof building with a smart appearance this new company will endeavour to supply relaxation and enjoyment of the most refined kind to Edmonton's theatre-loving public. The operating box in the new theatre is built of sheet iron and asbestos and is the most fire-proof as well as the largest operating box in Western Canada. Equipped with two of the latest Powers machines they will be able to avoid all delays in changing films, which together with having two operators places them in a position to satisfy the best class of motion pictures in the quickest, smart and most battle factor manner.

The shareholders of the Theatre Amusement Company are, L. B. Stone, H. Allen, J. Allen and J. Allen. The company is capitalized at $18,000. They have three theatres operating at present and three more building besides the one in Edmonton, the three operating being in Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver.

One of the new and up-to-date features of their building here is an anteroom for ladies, which is an innovation seldom seen in theatres of this kind. There are also four large toilets for use in case of fire, and floor lights placed in extra large aisles so that there is no possible chance of people getting tangled up in the seats.

The building itself is well ventilated, having two large fans inserted in the stack wall, which will draw off all foul air at the same time draing in fresh air through the front door. In addition to being equipped with all cushion seats the floor of the theatre is placed at such an angle that there will be no trouble in seeing the pictures from any part of the house. With the modern machines which they have they will be able to show pictures with the house almost as bright as daylight. The Edmonton branch is under the management of Mr. G. A. Hammond, who assures the people of Edmonton that he will conduct the theatre in a manner satisfactory to all.